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THE W. P. SAYWARD CASE

THE BRITISH GOVERMENT TESTING UNCLE SAM'S LAWS.

Counsel Argue as to the Constitutionality of the U.S. Behring Sea Statute—Dempser-Fitzsimmons Fight a Sure Thing—Mayor of Orleans Won't Stop it.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Calderon Carlisle, counsel for the British Government in the Behring Sea controversy before the supreme court of the United States, has issued a statement in regard to the matter in which he said the question raised by the suggestion for a writ of prohibition is not a question belonging to the appropriate function of diplomacy in the political department of the government but is solely a question of law. The scope and purpose of the proceedings in the supreme court, says Carlisle, is to obtain judical construction of the laws of the United States which under the construction of the district court of Alaska have deprived British subjects of nearly half a million dollars worth of property. The question is not what may the United States do in Behring Sea, but what it has done. If the United States claims the right of property in either high sea or its animals it can so declare by statute to-morrow and the courts would be bound to follow the law. Whatever diplomatic negotiations might arise in consequence with other nations, certainly all parties concerned are entitled to the interpretation of the existing laws of the United States from authorative sources. This is all that is sought and is precisely what the executive and legislative branches of the government are constitutionally disqualified to give.

The Fight Will Not Be Stopped.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 14.—The mayor said to-day that he would not interfere in the coming prize fight, and it is understood that the Government will let the matter rest entirely with the municipal authorities. Kilrain and Muldoon are in town and all notable pugilists of the country have either already arrived or are on the way. Among the latter is Peter Jackson, the negro champion. Sullivan it is said, will be here.

To-night will decide the question of whether Jack Dempsey or Bob Fitzsimmons is entitled to the middleweight championship of the world. Betting runs 11 to 10 on Dempsey, on the blackboards of the pool room. Robert Day, of St. Louis, also placed $5000 at even money. New Orleans money is mainly going to the Australian and if the Nonpareil is successful the city will be in sackcloth and ashes. Fitzsimmons will leave Bay St. Louis this morning. He is at weight and his condition is all that could be desired. He looks thinner and leaner than ever, but the muscle was solid and firm, and if he gives out it will not be on account of his legs. Dempsey, anticipating relief from the training and worry, is in better humor than for sometime past. He took a drive this morning with his wife and baby. He is somewhat anxious for fear the sand on the surface of the ring may be cut up by the constant walking. The fight is to be a long one, but the club officials say that it is guaranteed. Owing to the non arrival of Fitzsimmons no referee has yet been selected; a meeting for that purpose is to be held this afternoon when Alexander Brewster will probably be selected and a fair fight and no favors is a foregone conclusion.

Schooner Ashore.

FIRE ISLAND, Jan. 14.—The schooner Otter, from St. Kitts, with a cargo of salt, went ashore at Bellpor, Long Island, this morning. Two men were drowned coming ashore.

COMPLETELY GUTTED.

A Large New York Malt House Destroyed by Fire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The large malt house of E. M. Vantassell at West Eleventh street and Thirteenth avenue was completely gutted by fire early this morning, with a loss of about $500,000 to the stock and $40,000 to building. The latter was a six story brick structure filled with 30,000 bushels of feed and grain. The flames were first noticed at 1 o'clock by the watchman within, and ten minutes afterward the two upper floors were ablaze and burning furiously. In an incredible short space of time the entire building was on fire. A hundred and twenty horses of the Knickerbocker Ice Company, whose stable is at the rear of the malt house, were panic stricken and stampeded through the stable. They were eventally rescued and taken to another stable. In the meantime four alarms had been sent out, and 18 engines, 6 trucks and two water towers were soon at work. The firemen turned their attention to the Knickerbocker's stable and the interior stores for oiled meal and hay which adjoined the burning building. The roof of the granary fell in about 2:30 o'clock and sparks from the fallen roof caused small fires in the neighborhood which, however, were soon extinguished. After this the south wall building fell, nearly burying a number of firemen. One of them was slightly injured. The falling wall carried with it nearly 200 telegraph wires. The firemen succeeded in confining the flames to the malt house and soon had the flames under control.

Notice.

I will make all clothing to order at greatly reduced prices next thirty days. My reason for doing this is, I have leased the corner of the new Turner block and have ordered a large and well selected stock to fill it, and I want to run off all my present stock so as not to move it there. All work guaranteed. J. McCallum, 43 Fort street. Jan.141m.

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Call and examine the new stock of ladies' companions, scissor cases, razor cases and shaving sets, and a new line of pocket knives, razors, scissors and shaving materials, at M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street. *

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

E. Baynes Reed has been appointed a J.P. for Esquimalt.

A complete stock of table cutlery just arrived at Fox's, 78 Government st. *

A new lodge Sons of St. George will be opened in St. George's Hotel on Thursday evening.

Fine wood bread plates, butter dishes and table mats at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

A meeting of the members of the Victoria Gun club will be held in the Athletic club rooms to-night.

First shipment of lace curtains in white, ecru and colored, just received at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

An inquest will be held to-morrow on the body of John Wild, who committed suicide yesterday by poisoning himself.

The annual meeting of the subscribers to the P. O. Home will be held this evening at the Home on Rae street at 7 o'clock.

Another invoice of decorated bisque table lamps very richly finished, with shades to match, just opened at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

One of the young men practising at the James Bay Athletic Club house last evening was taken suddenly with a fit but recovered shortly afterwards.

At the regular weekly meeting of the Sir William Wallace Society held last evening it was decided to hold an "at home" in their rooms on the 12th of February.

The legislative chamber has been swept and garnished for the ceremony which is to take place to-morrow afternoon. That is about all the external preparation that has been made.

The immense show rooms of John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street, will be brilliantly illuminated every evening during Christmas week until 10 p. m. Everybody invited to see the largest and finest show in the city.

It is reported that a deposit of galena ore has been discovered about nine miles from Vancouver. An assay shows it to be 85 per cent. lead with 6 ounces of silver to the ton.

The Queen City Building, Loan and Savings Association is prepared to pay SIX per cent. interest per annum on all deposits of 50 cents per month and upwards. Subscribe for shares at 46 Fort street. *

A body of three hundred lady voters are said to have decided to assemble at Temperance Hall this evening and march thence en masse to the Victoria theatre to listen to the mayoralty candidates at the meeting this evening. ■

Rev. J. W. Green delivered his second lecture of the series upon the earth in the cathedral school room last evening to a good-sized audience. The reverend lecturer treated his subject in his usual interesting and instructive manner.

The unfortunate girl Miss O'Reilly, whom it has been found necessary to confine in the police cells on several occasions, was brought in from Victoria West this morning by Officer Redgrave, she having been acting in a queer way again.

Dined His Council.

In the Driard dining room which has witnessed so many pleasant parties, the council with the municipal officers and heads of the various departments, met last evening as the guests of his worship Mayor Grant. Among the guests of honor were Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., and Mr. D. M. Eberts. The host graced the head of the table with ability and tact. The Driard tried to show what it could do in the way of serving a good dinner, and the aldermen inwardly thought that it was a shame to impose that $100 tax on travelers and deprive them of the good fare which the Driard provide. After dinner there were speeches, but they were not of the cut and dry after dinner speech character. They were short, happily expressed and brimful of good fellowship. The party broke up and went homewards about half past ten o'clock.

New Banking and Exchange House.

Now that the Turner block is assuming an appearance of completeness, people are beginning to have an idea of what it will be like when the building is carried through to the Yates street end, and efforts are being made to secure the handsome stores. Messrs. A. W. More & Co., have succeeded in this direction and will open up as financial brokers, exchange bankers, accountants and real estate brokers. Besides having the pick of the real estate market for investors, arrangements have been effected whereby the firm can transact business with the leading cities throughout Canada, the States and Europe. This arrangement is made with the principal chartered banks in those cities. Mr. More himself is a level headed young Scotsman, with all the keen and commendable business virtues of his nation. He has had experience extending over many years in the Clydesdale bank, Glasgow, and other branches throughout Scotland; in the Chartered bank of India, Australia and China, London, England; and in the Bank of British Columbia at Victoria and Nanaimo. He has been in the province for three years, and has just recently resigned from the management of the Nanaimo branch of the Bank of British Columbia. Mr. More has also the experience of several years in a Scotch legal firm, where he obtained a knowledge that cannot be otherwise than valuable to him in his new business. In Mr. Corsan Mr. More has a very capable and experienced partner, who has been engaged for a number of years in the banking business in eastern Canada.

The Prince of Montenegro, who is on a visit to Paris, is improving his time by the purchase of munition of war for his little but formidable army of mountaineers. He has secured a quantity of smokeless powder and a goodly number of Lebel rifles.

Oddfellow's Dance.

The I.O.O.F. orchestra will give a dance in Oddfellow's hall on Friday evening, Jan. 16. ja13-4t

A HORRIBLE REPAST.

REVOLTING CANIBALISM IN NEW HEBREDES.

Dalton McCarthy on the Dual Language Stump—Nihilists Still Active in Europe Another Fire in New York—General Press Dispatches.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Further particulars from the commander of the British cruiser Royalist, tell of an extraordinary scene at New Hebridies, when three natives were executed by order of the commander for killing and eating a French trader and his son. Immediately after the execution a number of natives asked for the bodies and the commander supposing that the relatives wanted the remains for burial, gave them up. The natives retired a short distance and immediately proceeded to cook and devour the bodies of the dead criminals, much to the horror of the British officers and men who did not, however, feel justified in interfering.

LONDON GOSSIP.

The authorities are annoyed at the latest advices from Newfoundland, and Lord Salisbury is making new approaches to France for the settlement of the shore question, but at present without much prospect of solution. The latest rumor from Paris is that France will not settle short of a surrender of the Channel Islands by Great Britain.

The British Coal Miners' Federation has made proposals to the mine owners union to discuss the question of hours with a view of compromise. The owners claim that on account of the great advance in miners' wages they cannot consent to eight hours without losing all their profits.

There is now no doubt that no international copyright bill can pass parliament which does not provide for the printing in England of books to be copyrighted in England. The printing trade has formed a strong combination to this effect, and is supported by the Printers' and Trades' Unions.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—It is reported from Congo State that a large quantity of arms imported by a Dutch company have been disposed of to tribes in the interior, and they are recommencing their slave raids on the native population.

The Great Western railway has put two cars of American pattern on its line. The cars are divided in the middle, one being third class and the other first. The innovation has attracted much attention, but as yet the verdict of the travelling public has not been registered.

The Duke of Cumberland is travelling about under the name of Baron Culloden a fact which does not add to his popularity in Scotland.

It is said that Gladstone will speak in behalf of the Liberal candidate for the Hartlepool vacancy. A deep interest is felt in this election. The constituency being Liberal, apart from the Irish home rule issue, Tories and dissenting Liberals are preparing for an active struggle.

Nihilists "Confess."

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The Russian police have succeeded in obtaining a confession from several hundred or more persons to be put on trial shortly for nihilists. These confessions show that the nihilist propaganda is as powerful as ever, and more especially strong in the higher schools and universities. The Nihilists, the informer says, would for the present be satisfied with the freedom of the press and the creation of a national assembly, such as existed until the sixteenth century, and was abolished by the Czars. The various bodies of nihilists act independently of each other. Although actual torture was not used so far as known in procuring the confessions, yet a severe examination lasting without relief or cessation, for many hours at a time, had some effect in bringing about a physical collapse and admissions to whatever was desired.

The five nihilists surrendered by the British ambassador in Constantinople to the Russians, were accused of train wrecking, otherwise they would not have been given up.

Made Homeless.

BOMBAY, Jan. 14.—Fire has destroyed two hundred houses in this city. Hundreds of families are homeless.

Foolhardy Fellows.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—To-day, notwithstanding the contrary orders of the authorities, and the efforts of the police to enforce them, a number of men and boys attempted to cross the Seine on the ice. In this foolhardy attempt nine persons lost their lives.

Dillon as Leader.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—The Siecle announces that John Dillon upon his arrival in France will be chosen the leader of the Irish Parliamentary party.

Will Not Accept Money.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs has informed Lord Lytton, British ambassador, that France will not accept any compensation for her fishery rights in Newfoundland that she does not consider to be their full equivalent. Nothing of that nature has been offered to her. It was for the British Government to say what she can give; money will not be accepted.

Fire at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—The premises owned by R. B. Angus, on Craig street, were completely ruined by fire last night. The tenants, amongst who were the Chadwick Spool Co., Hughs and Stevenson, Southern and Carrie, printers, Waters Bros. & Co. lost everything. The loss which amounts to $125,000 will fall about equally on owner and tenants, but it was well covered by insurance.

Fire at Brighton.

BRIGHTON, Ont., Jan. 14.—The Kelly house, Nesbitt Block, Webb block and other property was burned yesterday. Loss, $40,000; insurance unknown.

OBJECTS TO A DUAL LANGUAGE.

Dalton M'Carthy Orates Against the French Canadians—Lacks Confidence.

STAYNER, Ont., Jan. 14.—Dalton M'Carthy was one of the speakers at a convention held here yesterday of the Conservatives of North Simcoe, which he represents in the Dominion parliament. He said in explanation of the course he had pursued on the Jesuit bill and French language question, "I found for many years that French Canadians were gaining in influence and power, and not in public affairs in keeping with their wealth or their numbers. That they had a policy antigonistic to the best interests of this country, and that it was their dream to re-organize Canada and make it a French speaking country. Manitoba had been forced to accept the dual language system and the proceedings and laws of the Province had to be printed in both languages. The same state of affairs had been forced upon the people of the Northwest territories. The people of Manitoba, acting within their provincial rights, have abolished the dual language. At this next session I want my hands free so that if the government should disallow the measure, as many suppose, I may raise my voice and move a want of confidence in Sir John's ministry even if I stand alone. The bill may not be disallowed for this reason and others may move a vote of want of confidence in the administration. If such be the case I stand by the government. I believe this is a matter frought with vital consequence. It is virtually a question of whether this is to be an English country or not. We cannot do much in Quebec, but we can at least guard the interests of Manitoba and the North west. We can see that in this greatest and finest province of the Dominion there is not laid the foundation of a French nation. For this reason I desire to stand independent on the dual language question."

McCarthy explained the dead lock at present existing in the Northwest territories between the Government royal and the council, and said it was his intention to move in this matter. He said whatever was granted to the territories should be given to the council, and not the Lieut-Governor. When McCarthy had concluded his speech a resolution heartily endorsing his action on the dual language question was carried without a dissenting voice.

THE SAYWARD CASE.

Minister of Justice Thompson Being Congratulated for What He Has Done.

Special to the TIMES.]

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—Sir John Thompson had the Sayward case, which has been brought before the United States Supreme Court, prepared with the sanction of the British authorities, so as to give the court an opportunity of passing judgment on the question as to territorial jurisdiction in those waters. If the court decides in favor of the owners of the Sayward, the whole question of territorial jurisdiction will be raised and decided, but if it decides otherwise, Britain will still press for the whole issue going to arbitration. It is thought in government circles that a move in this case will tend greatly to bring the matter to a head and Thompson is congratulated accordingly. Some time ago Sedgwick was in Washington laying the whole particulars in the case before the British Ambassador's legal adviser.

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—The department of agriculture has been advised from one of its veterinary inspectors at Fort McLeod that the disease reported to exist among horses there was grossly exaggerated. The stock is said to be in excellent condition

SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

An Old Lady of Nanaimo Burned to Death While All Alone.

Special to the TIMES.]

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—An old lady named Mrs. Guest, 82 years of age, met with a frightful death last night by burning. The old lady was left alone in the house, and while in the act of poking the fire some hot coal fell out on to her dress and she was enveloped in flames. Her screams soon brought assistance, but she was so shockingly burned that she died a few hours after the occurence.

Victoria Artists.

Professors Fenwick and Strauss have returned from Tacoma, where they were engaged by the Philharmonic Society to take part in the production of that glorious work the "Messiah." Prof. Strauss was in great demand both as first violin in the orchestra and also in assisting the conductor. As usual, he performed his part with all the skill and precision of a thorough musician. Prof. Fenwick as tenor soloist excelled himself. His lyric voice clear, and his articulation perfect, called forth many a handshaking and pretty compliment at the close of the performance, of which himself and his companion might justly be proud. The chorus, under the direction of Prof. H. Joy, was good, and the other soloists from Portland, San Francisco and Tacoma, were good. The orchestra did fairly well in all but the recitatives, and they were unaccustomed to the work. The following day an artists' recital was given to the Ladies' Musical club, of Tacoma, which was attended by 240 musical ladies and the professional men of the city. Mr. Strauss held the audience in raptures with Bach, Beethoven, Rubenstein, Liszt and other composers and was repeatedly called back, while Mr. Fenwick sang in excellent style operatic selection (Italian) but in his "Beneath the Ramparts," he fairly brought down the house. He responded with a ballad that completed the ideas of the people of Tacoma that he was a vocal artist. In the evening the two gentlemen were given a reception at the charming residence of Mr. Brisbone, where the musical people were invited and after a most brilliant evening they finished their engagement with as hearty thanks and expressions of satisfaction as two musicians could desire, and Victoria, B. C., should be proud of their talent.

ANNIVERSARIES.

Important Events Which Transpired On This Day—A Historical Reminder.

JAN. 14TH.

BORN—Prince Adam Czartoryski, 1770.
DIED—Bishop Berkeley, 1753.
Edmund Halley (astronomer), 1742.
Dr. John Boyse, 1643.
Madame de Sevigne, 1696.
Caroline Richings-Bernard, 1882.
Benjamin Silliman, 1885.
Charles Delmonico found dead in a New Jersey Ravine, 1884.
Peace between England and America ratified, 1784.

CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

Newsy Items Gathered from Different Parts of the Dominion.

There was a heavy southerly gale, with rain last night and the tide rose at St. Johns, N. B., higher than it has been for many years completely submerging the wharves around the south and north and on Nelson street, where considerable damage was done not only to the shores and warehouses, but to the stock stored therein. On Walker's wharf there are several dwelling houses and shops, and in these the water was a couple of feet deep.

Amelia Labombarde, aged 17, of Brockville, Ont., was told by her mother that she must earn her own living, and she started on foot for Malone, 20 miles distant. Her body frozen stiff has been found a short distance south of Malone.

The marriage took place on Dec. 6th, of E. C Cotes of the Indian Civil service to Sarah Jeannette, oldest daughter of C. Duncan of Brantford. The bride is the well known Canadian writer who has made so great a name for herself under the nom de plume of Garth Grafton.

Behring Sea Opinions.

Hamilton Spectator:—So far as Canada is concerned, it might be a good thing to have Behring sea declared a mare clausum. For in that case it would inevitably follow that Hudson bay would be in a like position; and exclusive ownership of Hudson bay would be more valuable than free access to Behring sea.

San Francisco Examiner: — Mr. Blaine's plan for protecting the seal fisheries is untenable. It would be impossible to declare the sea around Alaska closed, just as it would be impossible to declare the Pacific ocean closed, with Japan on one side and the United States on the other. Perhaps if the British Government were to assist the United States in an effort to keep out the seal pirates, such a result might be accomplished. The cod and salmon fisheries are the only things of value or importance in Alaska to-day.

Dominion Finances.

The statement of the Dominion for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1890, has just been made up in the department of finance. The total receipts from all sources were $66,781,366, compared with $71,146,964 the previous year. The receipts from customs were $23,968,753; from excise, $8,618,118; from railways, $3,566,406; and from post office service, $2,358,388. The receipts from loans amounted to $11,276,291. The ordinary revenue for the year was $39,879,925, and the ordinary expenditure $35,994,031, an excess of revenue over expenditure of $3,855,894. The sums paid as subsidies to railways amounted to $1,[illegible]. The public debt at the close of the fiscal year was $237,533,211. The amount of debt relieved during the year was $4,403,069. The receipts from Dominion lands were $220,141, a decrease of over $17,000 from 1889. The assets of Canada are placed at $48,579,083, a reduction of over $1,500,000; and the liabilities at $286,112,295, a reduction of $1,500,000. There stands to the credit of the Indian fund the sum of $3,392,112. The amount invested during the year for a sinking fund was $1,887,237 making the total thus invested $24,617,535. It might be mentioned the Skeena river expedition sent to supress the fancied Indian uprising in British Columbia is charged up to the Dominion in the sum of $5,400, although it was admitted a purely provincial affair.

A Most Extraordinary Case! Suffered for Thirty Years! Convinced that the Cure is Found!

Mrs. Mary A. Jones, of Newton Robinson, Ont., is a lady who has suffered for thirty years from that dreadful and painful disease rheumatism. Her case was a serious one and baffled the skill of doctors. After years of fears and hopes and very varied treatment, without any good results, she commenced recently to use Paine's Celery Compound, and in her case it has produced a wonderful effect.

She says:—"For a period of 30 years I have been a sufferer from rheumatism. During that time I have tried many remedies to obtain a cure, and have at various intervals been under the care and treatment of the doctor, without deriving any permanent relief. I commenced lately to use Paine's Celery Compound, and it has already had a most wonderful effect, although I have only used two bottles. It has done me more real good and given me greater relief than anything I have ever used, and I intend to continue its use, as I am firmly convinced it will entirely cure me. With best wishes for you and your valuable medicine, believe me, etc. Yours truly,

MARY A. JONES.

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7 tins Corn, 2 lbs., for	1 00	10 lbs. good Currants	1 00
7 tins Peas, 2 lbs., for	1 00	3 lbs. new Candied Peel	1 00
3 lbs. Good Tea	1 00	3½ lbs. Choice Creamery Butter	1 00

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WHY GRANT SHOULD BE RE-ELECTED.

TO THE EDITOR:—On Thursday next, if I am alive and well, I intend to vote for Mayor Grant for the first time. Politically and municipally I have hitherto been opposed to him. Politically my feelings have undergone no change. I do not think that the party of which he is a valuable member, would improve matters at James Bay by turning out the present office holders. But municipally I have arrived at the conclusion that, although Mayor Grant is by no means perfect (who is?) the time has not yet arrived when we can with safety to the public interests, dispense with his services. Mr. Grant has been sufficiently long in office to thoroughly understand the wants and requirements of the city. He has got civic matters well within his grasp; a large contract for sewerage has just been given out and the city has leaped far beyond the old limits and taken within its arms several thousand additional inhabitants. These important and weighty matters will require the personal attention of a cool and experienced person, such as the Mayor is, to handle, and I think that a change would be unadvisable at this moment.

I go to a certain extent with the moral reformers, who are exerting themselves with much vigor to defeat Mr. Grant, but I loathe the system of detraction and abuse they have adopted in the hope to carry their point. Victoria is no worse than any other Canadian seaport, and a good deal better than some that I might readily mention. Turn back to your files four years ago and read the assault that Mr. Gooderham and Mr. Johnson, of Toronto, made on the reputation of this city. These gentlemen were well-meaning enough, no doubt, but they happened to be thrown while here into the company of Pecksniffs and Chadbands and drawing their inspiration from that source, painted Victoria in the blackest of hues. By a strange coincidence the identical number of the Globe that printed the wail of Gooderham and Johnson contained an editorial article complaining of the desperate condition of the morals of Toronto the Good, which wound up with the statement that things had reached the pitch that a respectable woman could not walk the streets of that city after dark without fear of insult.

Will the moral reformers dare to say that a similar condition of things obtains here? Whoever heard of a respectable woman being insulted on a Victoria street?

I say that open gambling and all night saloons should be suppressed; but a mayor cannot lift a finger in that direction until a council that will support him has been elected. Give Mr. Grant a pure council and he will enforce its mandates energetically and fearlessly.

I would advise the Moral Reform Association to vote for Mr. Grant and look well to the men whom they elect as aldermen. A change of mayor at this crisis would be disastrous to the material interests of the city and would not advance reform a single step unless the board of aldermen gave consent.

FRONTIERSMAN.

THE MAYORALTY.

TO THE EDITOR.—The question at issue between some of the clergymen and Mayor Grant, as far as I can learn by the reports of the meetings, is whether Victoria is a bad or a good city in the eyes of the world. It would seem that the mayor and aldermen took issue with the reverend gentlemen forming part of the delegation, that is to say they (the aldermen) considered, although reform in some instances was necessary, they were not desirous of having the city painted as a wicked one. I have had several conversations with Mayor Grant during the past year on the question of better Sunday law, and I found that he was always liberal in his views on this point. In fact he went as far as to say that he would be willing to see the saloons closed within certain hours on the Sabbath day. I might say, as regards Mayor Grant personally, that in an acquaintance of nearly eleven years I have never seen him or heard of him being under the influence of liquor.

Now this is saying a great deal of a man who has had to meet all kinds and classes of men and occupying as he has done various political positions and having gone through many a political contest.

Those who would instruct us at this time, will say never mind the small defects or shortcomings of the candidates, it is the big ones you must look to. This teaching I cannot accept as the correct one. After many years acquaintance have I noticed in Mayor Grant anything glaringly wrong in his character and have I yet to learn of him belittling himself in any way to speak disrespectfully of his neighbor, yes, even of a political opponent. He has always been willing to make allowances for the failings or shortcomings of others, and give assistance to those in need, whether they were his friends or foes. An instance of this came to my notice only last Saturday. A man at a distance wrote me to pay to Mayor Grant a sum of money in payment to him for a board bill he (Grant) had kindly paid last winter. It seems the old man referred to had been taken sick at a certain hotel in the city last winter, and without money to pay for his board, he required some pecuniary assistance, and Mayor Grant was the man to whom he looked to as a friend, and the Mayor became responsible for his indebtedness. Now, over one year afterwards, the man, living out of the city, writes me to pay Mayor Grant the sum of money he had lent him, and to thank him for his kindness. I hope to meet Mayor Grant before election day (next Thursday), and deliver my message as well as pay him the amount due him.

Is this not the right kind of Christianity? And could not many more cases be cited like the above in the history of Mayor Grant? Yes, many of our citizens can bear testimony to this.

The whole question with some seems to be, that because the mayor and aldermen were not disposed to be dictated to in the way some of the rev. gentlemen would have wished, and because the audience hissed (which was an improper thing to do), they went away in wrath, and now pounce upon Mayor Grant, and call him all that is bad, and nothing that is good.

I admit the mayor at the meeting referred to might have left unsaid some things he did say, but judging from the report more than one lost his temper. If the moral reformers had gone about their mission in a different way, they would have found in Mayor Grant one willing to assist them in at least some reforms that are necessary in our city.

Let us elect a good set of aldermen, with John Grant for mayor, and we will find that the necessary reforms will come if properly undertaken.

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Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

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I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Henley, with the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

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P. O. HOME.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SUBSCRIBERS for the election of officers for the ensuing year, will be held at the Home, Rae street on Wednesday, the 14th January at 7:30 p.m. A full attendance is requested. ja5-td

TAKE NOTICE that I, A. J. Rowbotham, of 80 Yates street, in the City of Victoria, Grocer, shall apply to the Licensing Court, to be held in and for the City of Victoria on the second Wednesday in the month of March, 1891, for a transfer of the retail liquor license for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors at the premises now occupied by me on the north-east corner of Yates and Broad streets in the City of Victoria, to John H. Gannon, of Yates street, aforesaid.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.

Dated the 31st day of December, 1890. ja2-1m

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

BUILDING CONTRACTORS desiring White Laborers can procure them by applying at Pete's Cigar Store, No. 50 Yates street, west of Government.

ARTHUR DUTTON, President. FRANK WALL, Secretary.

Builders' Laborers' International Protective Union. P.O. Box 702, Victoria.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received up to noon Saturday, 17th January, for the erection of a three story and basement brick building, facing north-west corner of Government and Yates streets.

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JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOURTH annual general meeting of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Company, will be held at the Company's office, 54 Yates street, Victoria, B.C., on Thursday, 22nd day of January, 1891, at 3 o'clock p.m., when the annual report of the company will be presented. Members of the company are requested to attend.

WM. DALBY,
Manager.

Victoria, B.C., 22nd Dec. 1890. de22-tf

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act extending the powers of the Crow's Nest & Kootenay Lake Railway Company, and enabling the said Company to construct, equip, operate and maintain a line of railway from a point on the Lower Kootenay River, at or near its junction with Goat River, thence to the Columbia River in the neighborhood of Fort Sheppard, with a branch line to Nelson via Salmon River, and from the Columbia River by way of Osoyoos Lake and Similkameen River to Hope; thence following the south side of the Fraser River to a convenient point for crossing to New Westminster and a convenient terminal point on Burrard Inlet, with power to build branch lines not exceeding 30 miles in length, and that Sections 6, 7 and 13 of the Crow's Nest & Kootenay Lake Railway Company Act, 1888, may be amended by increasing the capital and borrowing power of the Company, and to change the name of the said Company to "The British Columbia Southern Railway Company."

CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for Applicants.

Dated the 11th day of December, A.D. 1890.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

Many Thanks for Past Favors.

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ELECTION CARDS.

THE MAYORALTY.

At the solicitation of a large number of voters, I again announce myself as a candidate for Mayor at the coming election and respectfully solicit the support and votes of the electors.

JOHN GRANT.

Dec. 12, 1890. de12

THE MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of Victoria City:

I beg to offer myself as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the coming Municipal Election. I am not a stranger to municipal work, as I have already served a term in the Council. I therefore respectfully ask for your support and votes.

ALEXANDER WILSON.

December 31. ja2-td

To the Electors of James Bay Ward.

Having been solicited by a large number of voters to stand for re-election as Alderman for James Bay Ward, I solicit your votes and influence.

de24-td A. J. SMITH.

ELECTION CARDS.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Alderman for Johnson Street Ward, and respectfully solicit your votes and support.

de27-td JOHN COUGHLAN.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—I beg to offer myself as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward at the coming election.

I respectfully ask for your vote and support.

A. J. McLELLAN.

Victoria, Dec. 22, 1890. de23-td

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Having been nominated by a majority of the ratepayers of the eastern part of Johnson Street Ward at a meeting held in Spring Ridge school house on December 12th, I therefore offer myself as a candidate for Alderman for the ensuing year in Johnson Street Ward, and solicit your influence and votes.

I have the honor to be your obedient servant,

W. H. SNIDER.

Victoria B. C., December 13th 1890. td

To the Electors of Yates street Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the solicitation of a large number of voters, I again announce myself as a candidate for Alderman in Yates Street Ward, and respectfully solicit your influence and support.

LOUIS VIGELIUS.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 19, 1890. de20-td

To the Electors of James Bay Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: In answer to a flattering requisition, I have much pleasure in announcing myself a candidate for the position of Alderman in James Bay, and respectfully request your support.

JOSEPH HUNTER.

Victoria B.C., Dec. 26th 1890. de26

To the Electors of James Bay Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Having been solicited by a large number of ratepayers, I announce myself as a candidate for Alderman and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming election.

de15-td J. P. MATTHEWS.

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I beg to offer myself for re-election as Alderman for Johnson Street Ward for the ensuing year, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

JOSHUA HOLLAND.

Victoria, Dec. 20, 1890. de24

FOR ALDERMAN.

To the Electors of James Bay Ward:

I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for election to the Board of Aldermen in your Ward. Being a property owner in different parts of the Ward, my interests are identical with yours, and I am confident that I will be able to serve you satisfactorily.

dec27-td H. A. MUNN.

To the Electors of James Bay Ward.

Victoria, Dec. 29, 1890.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming election for Aldermen, having resided in your Ward for ten years, and believing myself acquainted with its requirements and those of the city in general.

de31 EDWD. MALLANDAINE.

To the Electors of James Bay Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: Having been requested by a large number of ratepayers, I announce myself as a candidate for re-election as Alderman and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming election.

WILLIAM WILSON.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 19, 1890. de20-td

To the Electors of Yates St. Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman for Yates Street Ward, and respectfully solicit your votes and support.

ja8. C. E. RENOUF.

To the Electors of Yates Street Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Alderman for Yates Street Ward, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. S. T. STYLES.

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To the Electors of Yates St. Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the solicitation of a large number of voters, I again announce myself as a candidate for Alderman in Yates Street Ward, and respectfully solicit your influence and support.

W. D. McKILLICAN

Victoria B. C., Dec. 26th 1890. de26-td

To the Electors of Yates street Ward.

TO THE ELECTORS: I offer myself as a candidate for the Council in Yates Street Ward, and solicit your support.

W. WALKER.

Victoria, Dec. 19, 1890. de19

To the Electors of Yates St. Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the request of many voters I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman in Yates Street Ward and solicit your vote and support.

F. G. RICHARDS, JR.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 23, 1890. de23-tf

To the Electors of Johnson St. Ward.

I beg to announce that I will be a candidate for re-election to the Council, as a representative for Johnson Street Ward. Your support is respectfully requested.

de20-td JOHN ROBERTSON.

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty (30) days after date application will be made to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described tract of land situated in Renfrew District:—Commencing at a post on the south side of the West Branch, about two and one-half (2½) miles from the junction of said Branch and the San Juan River, thence south 40 chains, thence in a westerly direction parallel with the course of the river 800 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence in an easterly direction parallel with the course of the river 800 chains, thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, and containing 6,400 acres, more or less.

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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CERTIFICATES OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above property will be issued to Thomas Atkins on the 16th day of April, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the Registrar-General, in writing, by some person claiming an estate, or interest in said property or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 8th Jan., 1891. Jan. 8-3m.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

An Undivided One-Fifth of Suburban Lot No. xxxviii, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above will be issued to Charles Hayward, on the 26th day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria,
20th October, 1890. oc22-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 185 Block W. Victoria West, Esquimalt District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF title of Thomas Black, of the city of Victoria, B.C., to the above mentioned lot has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 6th Nov. 1890. no7-3m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Lot 459, Victoria City.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above hereditaments will be issued to William John Macdonald on the 18th day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or any part thereof.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
Acting Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, Oct. 15, 1890. oc15-3m

AUCTION SALE.

W. R. CLARKE, AUCTIONEER.

I am instructed by the administrator, J. C. Prevost, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the sale room, Store street, opposite the E. & N. Railway depot, on

MONDAY, 9th FEB.

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

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LOT 4—Another part of Section Fifty-six, all being in the District of Comox.

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Dec. 18-d&w

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A BY-LAW

To Regulate the Election of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria for the Year 1891.

Whereas it is provided by law that the nomination for Mayor and Aldermen shall be held on the second Monday in January of each year, from 12 a.m. to 2 p.m., and the polling, if any, on the Thursday following from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., and it is further provided that the Council shall in the month of December in each year appoint a Returning Officer, and shall also name the polling places and otherwise arrange for the holding of the coming election; and it is further provided that the polling, if any, at such election shall be had and taken at such place or places as the Council shall by by-law appoint; therefore

Be it enacted by the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

(1) The nomination of candidates for the respective offices of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria shall take place at the City Hall, in the aforesaid City, on Monday, the 12th day of January, 1891.

(2) In case a poll shall be demanded at the election of Mayor, the vote of the electors thereon shall be taken by ballot at the City Hall aforesaid, on Thursday, the 15th day of January aforesaid.

(3) In case a poll shall be demanded at the election of Aldermen for any ward, the vote of the electors thereon shall be taken by ballot on the day aforesaid at the respective places following, that is to say:—For Johnson Street Ward, at the City Hall aforesaid; for Yates Street Ward, at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square; and for James' Bay Ward, at the Hook and Ladder House.

(4) Sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the By-law cited as the Municipal Elections Regulation and Ballot Act, 1875, and so much of the schedules thereto as are applicable shall be read with and form part of this By-law.

(5) William K. Bull is hereby appointed the Returning Officer at the said elections.

This By-law may be cited for all purposes as the "Municipal Election Regulation By-law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council the 29th day of December, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 2nd day of January, A.D. 1891.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

[L. S.]
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Victoria that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Hall on Monday, the 12th day of January, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen.

The mode of nominations shall be as follows:—

The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 15th day of January, for the election of Mayor at the City Hall; for election of Aldermen for Johnson Street Ward at the City Hall aforesaid; for Yates Street Ward at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square, and for James Bay Ward at the Hook and Ladder House; of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly. Given under my hand at Victoria, the fifth day of January, 1891.

W. K. BULL,
Returning Officer.

Jan5-tf

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Respecting the convening of the legislature at a date considerably earlier than usual, the Columbian connects it with the census which will be taken April 6th. The Government it will be remembered, promised that so soon as the census should be taken they would introduce a new "redistribution" bill, in which the Mainland would be given a square deal. To avoid any possibility of bringing up a measure of this kind in the House this year, by reason of the proximity of the census, the Columbian insinuates that the House has been called together earlier that it might dissolve the sooner, thus protracting a question of equitable representation for practically two years. Says the Columbian, after having alluded to the Premier's promise to introduce fresh redistribution legislation, when he should have been able to feast his eyes on the census report:

"The Premier may not have anticipated when he wrote and spoke as above, that the census would have been taken early enough to enable the House to act on this data during the very next session; but the Premier did know on what day the census would be taken (for it has been public property for some time) when he decided on calling the Legislature together at a considerably earlier date than usual."

How unkind of the Columbian to so broadly intimate that Honest JOHN desires to put off the ordeal of another redistribution bill as long as possible. As if Honest JOHN would do such a thing as that! With all due respect for the Columbian, which has done good work since the Honest JOHN betrayed the Mainland, we should say that this is not the kind of political capital that is wanted just now. The question is, shall Honest JOHN be permitted to hold the fort any longer? Are the Independents and the Opposition, who are first cousins in the matter of provincial reform, going to try and give their policy effect as separate political bodies? We hope not. They should be able to effect a coalescence. There is nothing to prevent coalescence in point of political differences. If a coalescence is not effected, we shall take it that personal ambition has stood in the way. For our part, we are unable to see how the Independents can possibly affiliate with the Government in any particular. Indeed, to be consistent with themselves, "no compromise" should be their watchword. They should not be content with anything short of a clean sweep. Again, the Independents have no need to affiliate with the gang whose policy it has been to barter away the birthright of the people of this province, and who have never undertaken a reform except in the sense of making virtue a necessity. Working together, the Independents and the Opposition constitute a minority which the Government could not afford to ignore Working in concert they could compel the reforms which they declare to be essential to progress. And if the Independents and the Opposition do not work together what will have been the cause? It will have been because the Government have undertaken to grind a number of private axes. The private axe-grinding business has been the policy of the Government hitherto, and the signs are that they will continue the business at the old stand in the future. They will seize with avidity every private job that is offered and spoliation will go on apace. Will members ever learn that they represent something more than their respective constituencies? The representative for a given district is indeed bound to see that his constituents got their dues, but he is equally bound to see that the province is not plundered. No member's responsibility ends with his district. His responsibility is as broad and as comprehensive as the province. He is responsible for his actions to the whole province. The member who barters his support for certain supposed advantages to his constituents has simply been bribed. The member who supports the Government in a bad or questionable measure for the reason that his district has been conceded its demands has no conception of the true functions of a legislator. This, however, is not an infrequent practice, not alone in the provinces, but in the Dominion House as well. No legislator can afford to surrender his independence for any cause whatsoever, and it is to be hoped that the present House will not undertake to legislate on the give and take principle. How was it that the Government was able to pass the mining royalty clause, when there was not a man in the House who was not aware that a bad principle was involved in it? It was simply because the respective supporters of the measure had been *accommodated* by the Government, and in exchange gave their support to the measure. Is this system to be repeated in the House this winter? There is no occasion for it. If the Independents and the Opposition are as virtuous as they pretend to be, they will compel the reforms they ask without pledging themselves to the slavish support of the measures which the Government will probably put forth.

DR. SCHLIEMAN.

Dr. SCHLIEMAN, the eminent archeologist, recently deceased, was a very superstitious man. KATE FIELD, writing of him, says that, even as a child he dreamed realities. At seven he determined to dig for Troy and he did it. He was ever building castles. When a young man he dreamed 111,641 was the lucky number in a lottery and immediately wrote a letter to Berlin enclosing 10 thalers to be invested in this number at the next lottery. The number, however, had already been taken and the lucky owner of it drew a prize of 120,000 thalers. A tailor who had never accomplished anything up to his 57th year, but who thenceforward rapidly accumulated a fortune told SCHLIEMAN that the secret of his success was owing to his habit of putting on his left stocking, left shoe, his left everything first. SCHLIEMAN adopted this practice and attributed his subsequent success to the faithful observance of it. His luck, he averred, changed for the better from the moment he heeded the old tailor. But SCHLIEMAN was more than a believer in luck. How many men are willing to go to school at forty-five? Yet this is just what SCHLIEMAN did do. He conquered living and dead languages during middle life, and made the tour of the world after he had learned its varied speech. Dr. SCHLIEMAN, for all that he believed in luck, owed his success indubitably to his energy, perseverance and enthusiasm. The moral of Dr. SCHLIEMAN's life is that success awaits the man whose industry is proportionate to his ambition.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Ottawa Free Press: As Mr. FOSTER's trip to the West Indies has been utterly barren of good results it is expected that Mr. DEWDNEY will be despatched at once to Liberia. The negroes who live near the equator are said to want a large supply of winter clothing, snow shoes, fur overcoats, etc., which no doubt Canada can supply at low prices

The Japanese vessel bearing the survivors of the wrecked Ertogroul was denied admission to the Dardanelles. "Coming on a mission of mercy the Japanese iron-clad was treated as an enemy," says the Toronto World, and its commander wrathfully put to sea determined to replace the rescued Turks in the water where he found them. That would have been a fit ending to the ridiculous affair.

Mr. BENJ. R. TUCKER, of Boston, announced that he would publish on Saturday, January 10, the first English translation of Count TOLSTOI's latest work, "The Fruits of Culture." This book, like "The Kreutzer Sonata," has never been published in Russia. It is a twofold satire on "culture" and spiritualism. The folly of the so-called "cultured" classes is exhibited in a humorous picture of their fashions, "fads," and mental freaks, and the story hinges upon the effect of modern spiritualism on an aristocratic family in Russia.

Sir LYON PLAYFAIR, the eminent British free-trader, in a recent address to the voters of Leeds, informed them that in twenty years from now they would have to look elsewhere than the United States for their grain supplies. "For," he added, "if the relative increase of farm products and of manufacturing population continues for the next twenty years in the same ratio as for the last ten, the manufacturing and trading people will consume all that the farmers can raise in America." Government statistics tend to confirm this announcement, for they show that the amount of breadstuffs retained for home consumption has constantly grown, while the manufacturers show an ever-increasing output.

It appears for certain that the "Bard of Regina" is to be "downed" if political influence and money will do it. His crime, people will remember, was that of calling Sir JOHN's advisers a "cabinet of antiques," of which Chinese DEWDNEY is a member. But to come to the "downing" part of the business, proposed by this cabinet of antiques, it is said that a number of Conservatives, who are in the confidence of Mr. DEWDNEY, have purchased the Regina Journal, and will run it in opposition to the Leader. This means that the political destruction of Mr. DAVIN has been resolved upon, and that it will be pursued with relentless vigor until it is accomplished, or until the "antiques" are finally relegated to private life. The destruction of Mr. DAVIN, however, as proposed by the saint-like DEWDNEY, should not be so easy to compass. Reciprocity is what the Northwest wants, and Mr. DAVIN should find plenty of supporters. Mr. DAVIN was once a Canadian Liberal. He should now lose no time in re-occupying his former position, where a person of progressive instincts naturally belongs.

A personal letter from Washington brings the rather surprising intelligence that Mr. and Mrs. STANLEY are privately voted a very dull couple by the gay society of the Capital, and also by the smart set of New York. The entertainments given in their honor by Sir JULIAN PAUNCEFOTE were declared, in the secrecy of confidential chats, both "pokey" and chilly. People do not like to say such things in public, our informant writes, because they remembered the accounts of Mrs. STANLEY's brilliant social successes in London, and of the way in which society leaders there vied with each other in their efforts to obtain STANLEY's presence at their functions. But in Washington everybody thought so emphatically. In New York people who met them said STANLEY was cold, indifferent and listless, and so entirely without social grace and tact as to come very near bad manners, and that Mrs. STANLEY's manner was destitute of magnetism and attractiveness. Nor is this so very surprising. About the dullest, hollowest thing in the world is a social demonstration called a "reception," or an "entertainment." Everybody, it is true, attends these demonstrations who can get there, but everybody is bored just the same. STANLEY and his wife, both of whom are practical persons, are probably surfeited of these insane exhibitions, splendid though they are to outside appearance, and blunt withal, as we know STANLEY to be, it is not surprising that he should manifest unequivocal signs of being tired of them.

"PLUMP FOR M'KILICAN."

TO THE EDITOR,—I was asked by a moral reformer to-day to plump for McKillican in Yates street ward. Comment is unnecessary. A party that will resort to such tactics does not deserve success. I say, vote for three candidates, and do not let McKillican the Incompetent be one of them.

INDEPENDENCE.

M'KILLICAN AND MORE LIGHT.

TO THE EDITOR,—I hope that the electors of Yates street ward will remember, when they go to vote to-morrow, that Alderman McKillican is the originator of a scheme to buy the gas works and the electric light establishment. This will involve an expenditure of $200,000 to $300,000. Are the taxpayers prepared to return a man who is "big" with such crazy items to the council? I hope not.—I think not.

YATES STREET.

PLUMPERS.

TO THE EDITOR.—The orders given last evening to all the committees of the so-called moral reform, to vote for Mr. Alex. Wilson for mayor of course, and to plump for their candidates for aldermen—Messrs. Walker and McKillican for Yates street ward, and A. J. McLellan for Johnson street ward. These are the orders given and they cannot deny it. Therefore it is the duty of all liberals to leave those favorites of the hidebound council, namely, Messrs. Walker, McKillican and McLellan off; and not honor them with a cross, but to vote only for men of liberal opinions. And who is A. J. McLellan? Is he not one of the contractors that built a heavy section of the Island railway by Chinese labor, when hundreds of whitemen came here looking for work, and were refused the chance of earning a living because the Chinamen put more cash in the pockets of this champion of the so-called moral reform. It is well known that McLellan seldom or never gave a whiteman a job that a Chinaman could do, and how can he expect working men to vote for him. If he had his way he would have all corporation work done by Chinese, because it would be cheaper and as usual with him he would boast of it. We have no use for Chinese Mac.

WORKINGMAN.

MAYOR GRANT'S RE-ELECTION.

TO THE EDITOR.—The people of this city are to decide to-morrow who shall be their next mayor. Need the people be advised as to the man they should support? Hardly. Both candidates for the mayoralty are well known in this city. There are few ratepayers who, if they are not personally acquainted with the respective candidates know them so well by reputation, that they do not need to be told which of them they should support. Still it will not come amiss to discuss the matter briefly in behalf of Mayor Grant not because there is a probability of his being defeated but because there may be a few who misconceive his attitude on moral reform. John Grant has already put himself on record as to the kind of a reformer he is. It need not be observed, therefore, that he is not of the radical impracticable kind, one who thinks that moral ends are sufficiently subserved by merely closing the front doors. This expression is used because the kind of reform proposed by the reform element is a very chestnut, an exploded fallacy in the history of municipal reform. True reform was never yet accompanied by the outward repression of evil. To urge to the contrary is to fly into the face of facts. No legislative edict ever yet compassed reform for if such had ever been the case, there are already laws enough on our statute books to reform Hades itself. The experience of the last quarter of a century should convince any reformer that neither legislative edicts nor active police interference have been able to more than partially hide the appearance of evil. It is impossible to recall one solitary legislative measure promulgated in the interest of Sabbath observance, of the restriction of the liquor traffic and of the elimination of the social evil that is not practically a dead letter. To proceed, therefore, to effect reform by drastic measures is not Mayor Grant's policy. It must be compassed in some other way. Innovations are not reforms. The man who is virtuous because he has to be is still a sinner. If, however, this city wants reform of the hurricane kind, a reform which from the fact of its violence would soon die away and leave matters much as they were if not worse, for demoralization invariably attends reactions of this kind, the city can have it. The movement, however, must be spontaneous, universal. Mayor Grant, whether willing or not, would have to respond to such a movement. Indeed, for that matter he would not have to respond at all. Reform would already be in operation. Coteries, however, cannot expect to effect reform that is to say, ideal reform by drastic measures. Mayor Grant nor any other mayor can run counter to public sentiment. The contributing cause to the failure of legislation directed against Sabbath desecration, alcoholism and the social evil is that public sentiment is not in accord with it. It is a notorious fact that men will advocate the observance of the Sabbath who have not the least intention of observing it themselves. Others will support prohibition who would cut off their right hands sooner than "swear off." And in respect to the social evil, it is notorious that the Jezebels of the streets could a tale unfold of the virtuous citizens they frequently entertain. But the idea is not intended to be conveyed that immorality should run riot. On the contrary, its spread should be sternly repressed. A steady effort should be maintained all the time to minimize it. As illustrative of the impotency of legislation to effect reform, the following from London Truth is suggestive:—

"Nowhere does the British nation more blatantly betray its characteristic Pecksniffism than in regard to betting. We legislate against betting, make raids on betting houses, prosecute betting men, pretend that betting has been abolished; and at the same time in the columns of the serious daily press we calmy discuss the question whether betting is on the decrease or increase, just as if it were considering the progress of a fine art. Bishops join in the controversy, and so do bookmakers; but whereas, the former bring to bear upon the subject an apparently inexhaustible supply of ignorance, the latter cunningly beat about the bush and divert attention from the issue in which the public is interested." * *

All that has hitherto been striven after is to limit such transactions to those persons who are rich enough to enjoy good credit. And on the principles laid down by practical moralists, that betting is more dangerous for the poor than for the wealthy, the inclination was in the right direction. In this blessed, equitably-governed England of ours no one cares to interfere with the pleasures or vices of the upper circle of society. Betting is an agreeable pastime of the aristocracy, and the laws which professed to put a stop to it have only handed over the regulation of gambling on the turf to an unauthorized voluntarily-constituted body of noblemen and landed gentry called the Jockey Club, some of whom make a remarkably good thing out of it."

The moral of the thing is, that reform must begin in the heart. The question hence is, can the City Hall compass reform? If the ratepayers of this city fancy that the City Hall can effect reform without the co-operation of the people—not coteries—let them oppose John Grant. If they think differently, let them vote for John Grant.

A CHURCH MEMBER.

INSPECTOR WILSON'S MODEST REPLY.

To the Editor of the News-Advertiser—I deem it an official duty to notice a letter signed "Alex. Robinson, Central School," which appeared in your issue of the 9th instant, and which contains unjust and incorrect statements.

It is certainly unjust to say that my object in attending the Mainland Teachers' Institute was a sinister one. Having resided for several years on the Mainland, and during that time having taken an active part in organizing what is now the Mainland Teacher's Institute, I felt that it would be a pleasure as well as my duty to attend the recent meeting.

That the department looked for, or in any way sought the passing of the resolution referred to by your correspondent, is wholly incorrect. In justice to the Superintendent, I would state that that gentleman was in total ignorance of any such intention. The hearty expressions of good will towards the department that preceded the unanimous vote in favor of the resolution, are unmistakeable evidences of the sincerity of the action taken by those present. It certainly appears strange that one who did not attend any meeting of the Institute should take the trouble to enter his "humble protest" against any resolution unanimously passed by that body.

D. WILSON.

Victoria, Jan. 10, 1891.

EMMA JUCH COMING.

The Famous Singer Will Give a Season at the Victoria, February 5th.

The Emma Juch grand English opera company, numbering over 150 people, will give a brief season of grand English opera at the Victoria commencing Thursday, February 5th. This organization will be remembered here from their highly successful engagement of last year. The repertoire will be:—Thursday, "Mignon;" Friday, "Rigoletto;" Saturday matinee, "Carmen," and Saturday evening, "Lohengrin." The organization retains all last year's favorites, and has added the following famous singers to their already strong list of principals:—Payne Clark, the famous English tenor; Otto Rathjens, the noted German baritone; Carlotta Macouda, late leading soprano of the Bostonians. The orchestra has been enlarged to thirty pieces, while the chorus now numbers eighty powerful voices, all being under the direction of Aeld Nenendorf, the well-known New York leader. The scenery, costumes, properties and electric effects used by the company in their productions, represents an actual outlay of over a quarter of a million dollars. The scale of prices range from $3 to $1 according to location.

THE WHARF ACCIDENT.

Difference of Opinion as to Whether There is Another Body Not Found.

The accident which occurred at the outer wharf on Monday continues to be one of the chief subjects of conversation, and everything new in regard to it is eagerly looked after. Nothing has yet been learned to lead to the discovery of the young German who was piling at the time of the accident, and those who were working with him seem to be uncertain as to his fate. Some say that there were only four men on the pile, while others persist that there were five. One of the most pitiful sights in connection with the accident was witnessed when Fox's widow went into Hayward's undertaking rooms last evening to see her late husband. With tears in her eyes she stroked the face of him who had been such a good husband to her and would speak to no one nor leave the place until late in the evening.

The men who were killed, Thos. Higgins, Patrick Haggart (Kelly), Andrew Filke (Fox), and Fichen (Johnson) were all Roman Catholics, and the funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock from Hayward's undertaking rooms and at 9:15 from the Roman Catholic Cathedral.

A solemn requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the unfortunate victims of the accident will be said at the Catholic cathedral to-morrow morning at half past seven o'clock. The shorter service only will be said at the funeral at 9:15 o'clock.

THE INQUEST.

An inquest was held at 1:30 this afternoon by Coroner Morrison to enquire into the cause of the death of the four men. The jury having been sworn in, they drove out to the scene of the accident and also to the undertaking parlors to view the remains. The jury were Major Nicholles, foreman, W. J. Goepel, Henry Short, B. Gordon, D. Spencer and Frank Page. Major Nicholles, before being sworn in, informed the coroner that he was exempt under the Militia Act, but would act as a favor.

W. J. Taylor, of Eberts and Taylor, appeared on behalf of the city, and H. B. W. Aikman, of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, and P. Æ. Irving for Rithet & Co., owners of the wharf.

The case had just commenced as the TIMES went to press.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

T. D. Conway, of Chemainus, is at the Oriental.

J. McNamara, of New Westminster, went to San Francisco by the Walla to-day.

Bishop Lemmens was a passenger for California by the Walla Walla this morning.

Edmund Evans, of Vancouver, will leave for Montreal to-night via the Union Pacific.

A. R. Coughtreif, manager of the Douglas Cattle company's shops at Vancouver, is at the Oriental.

G. P. Baldwin, of Calcutt, Baldwin & Co., art publishers of Chicago, leaves for the Sound this evening.

John Kurtz is able to be out and about again, although the rheumatism in his hand still troubles him somewhat.

H. Brackman, of Brackman & Ker, left for Los Angeles by the Walla Walla this morning. This is Mr. Brackman's first visit to California for 19 years.

James Montgomery, formerly of New Westminster, and for considerable time engineer of the steamer Robt. Dunsmuir, is still lying ill at Victoria. His condition is not much improved.

C. B. Sword, G. B. Martin, C. E. Semlin, Thos. Foster, T. C. Brown, T. E. Kitchen and J. W. Horne, M.P.P., arrived over from the Mainland last evening to be present at the opening of the House to-morrow.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The steamer Danube goes north to-morrow.

The schooner Maggie Mac will not sail until Saturday.

There are now 13 schooners shipping their crews for the sealing season.

The steamer R. P. Rithet has gone to the Fraser river for more freight.

The steamer Mascotte left last night for Nanaimo to load coal for Victoria.

Schooner Mascot is expected to leave to-morrow. She completed her crew to-day.

It is expected that the ship Henry Villard will be ready for sea by the end of the week.

The American ship Henry Villard has loaded 45,000 cases of salmon and has yet to take on 15,000 more.

The bark G. S. Homer has arrived at Seattle from New York after a long and stormy trip of nearly five months.

It is understood that two or more new ships will be chartered during the coming season to run in connection with the Dunsmuir mines.

Another new tug is to be built on the Fraser by M. G. Terhune. The new steamer will be a sister vessel to the Brunnette, but will have more powerful engines.

Steamer Lorne will continue to make weekly trips to Nanaimo with freight till the Cowichan bridge is finished. The freight traffic is increasing rapidly and the Isabel is not able to take it all.

It will cost $38,900 to repair the steamer Costa Rica, which went ashore at Race Rocks some time ago. She was pulled off by the tug Lorne. Both the Lorne and the Costa Rica are owned by Alex. Dunsmuir, and Captain McIntyre was underwriters' agent. He demurred to the bill of $12,000, put in by his own employer as salvage on his own ship, but after deliberation the underwriters allowed that amount. The Costa Rica is valued at $70,000 and was insured for $60,000.

NOTICE.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway.

Until further notice the afternoon trains on Saturdays and Mondays are cancelled.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Cash Statement for the Year Ending 31st December, 1890.

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1890.

ASSETS.

Municipal taxes outsiding:—			
Water rents		$9,281 54	
Insurance tax		1,425 00	
Trade licenses		1,332 50	
Real estate tax		13,799 86	
			$ 25,838 90
Bank B. N. A. Sinking Fund acc:—			
Water works	$100,000	$45,145 63	
do	50,000	31,788 13	
do (1887)	20,000	7,324 63	
do	75,000	6,571 82	
do (1888)	20,000	540 59	
do	70,000	1,428 80	
do	60,000	1,225 70	
Electric Light	16,000	3,161 18	
Drainage	5,000	989 72	
Streets	50,000	1,861 94	
do	45,000	919 50	
Corporation	20,000	9,743 78	
Johnson st sewer	30,000	808 79	
Park	25,000	510 30	
Fire	15,000	301 15	
City Hall	35,000	735 00	
Cemetery	12,500	262 15	
			113,519 21
Bank B. N. A. Sewerage Fund		7,729 61	
Sewerage Works New Loan		7,270 39	
			15,000 00
Johnson st. Sewer acc			37,675 22
Water Works Cons'tion acc.			484,116 57
Beacon Hill Park			25,000 00
Electric Light Plant			27,160 36
do Building			3,500 00
do Lot 318			4,000 00
Spring Ridge Property			13,000 00
Deluge Engine House& Lots			18,000 00
Lots 4 and 5 Beckley Farm			1,400 00
Cemetery addition			12,130 00
Market Site			35,200 00
City Hall and Lots 1249, 1250			100,000 00
Furniture and Fixtures			4,024 53
Corporation Horses & carts			850 00
Steam Engine			1,000 00
Road Roller and Crusher			5,019 55
Steam Drills			1,617 08
Street Sprinkler			751 37
Street Repairs, 2,050 yards Rock			3,075 00
Fire Plant			38,345 40
Library			2,250 00
T. Storey			101 25
Thos. Russell			2,000 00
Cash on Hand			1,766 00
			$975,740 45

LIABILITIES.

Bank B. N. A., Overdraft			71,675 08
do Market Acct.			35,200 00
Water Work Revenue Acct			56,520 93
Water W. Debentures	1874	92,500 00	
do do	1875	50,000 00	
do do	1877	20,000 00	
do do	1888	20,000 00	
do do	1889	70,000 00	
do do	1889	60,000 00	
do do	1886	75,000	
Street do	1889	45,000 00	
" do	1886	50,000 00	
Park do	1889	25,000 00	
Fire do	1889	15,000 00	
Johnson s.sewer do	1888	30,000 00	
Corporation do	1878	20,000 00	
Drainage do	1885	5,000 00	
Electric Light do	1885	16,000 00	
Cemetery do	1889	12,500 00	
City Hall do	1889	35,000 00	
			641,000 00
Deposit acct, for use of Sts			710 00
A. McBean & Co. deposit			15,000 00
Tax Sale Redemption acct.			37 87
Unclaimed Wages			54 34
Outstanding accounts			335 29
B. C. Government			3,094 02
Corporation of Victoria Balance of assets over Liabilities			152,112 92
			$975,740 45

Certified Correct
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

Victoria, January 12, 1891.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1890	$ 5,054 49
Bank B.N. America	83,569 57
Water Rents	43,603 76
Fire Insurance Tax	7,800 00
City Pound Fees, etc	480 09
Surveying Street Lines	205 00
General Interest	356 25
Real Estate Tax	100,569 59
Trades Licenses	22,692 50
Wholesale Liquor Licenses	3,075 00
Retail Liquor Licenses	14,440 00
Road Tax	1,604 75
Drivers Licenses	37 00
Dog Tax	227 10
House Moving	80 00
Corporate Seal	11 00
Weighing Machine Fees	365 75
City Maps	7 00
Cemetery Fees	2,223 75
Unclaimed Wages	54 34
Bank B.N.A., Water Works Acct	39
Deposit Acct., for use of Streets	1,230 00
Registration of Vehicles	120 00
Library for Catalogues	100 00
A. McBean, Deposit Sewerage Acct	15,000 00
Bank B.N.A. Market Site Acct	35,200 00
Drainage Acct. Refund from Sewerage Commissioners	4,400 50
Bank B.N.A. Johnson St. Sewer	7,249 50
Fire Plant, Sale of Horses	275 00
By-Laws	40 00
Redemption of Land Sold for Taxes	37 87
T. Storey	160 00
J. Gosnell	362 45
Cemetery Loan	12,500 00
City Hall Loan	35,000 00
Police Court Fees and Fines	5,109 50
	$403,242 06

DISBURSEMENTS.

W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund, $100,000	$ 3,790 00	
W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund, $50,000	2,500 00	
W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund (1877) $20,000	845 00	
W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund, $75,000	1,557 00	
W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund (1888) $20,000	266 00	
W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund, $70,000	1,428 00	
W. W. Debentures, Sinking Fund, $60,000	1,225 00	
Corporation Debentures Skg Fund	855 00	
Electric Light Debentures, Sinking Fund	590 00	
Drainage Debentures, Sinking Fund	186 00	
Street Debentures, Sinking Fund, $50,000	444 00	
Johnson Street Sewer, Sinking Fund	398 00	
Street Debent's. Sinking F'd $45,000	919 00	
Park, Sinking Fund	510 00	
Fire, Sinking Fund	301 00	
City Hall, Sinking Fund	735 00	
Cemetery, Sinking Fund	262 00	
		$16,811 00
Corporation Debentures, Interest	$ 1,295 00	
Water Works, $100,000, Int't.	6,317 50	
" 5 ,000, "	3,500 00	
" (1888) 20,000, "	1,000 00	
" (1877) 20,000, "	1,600 00	
" 75,000, "	3,750 00	
" 70,000, "	3,500 00	
" 60,000, "	3,000 00	
Street Debent's, 50,000, "	2,500 00	
Electric Light Debentures, Interest	960 00	
Drainage Debentures, Int't.	300 00	
Johnson Street Sewer Debentures, Interest	1,500 00	
Streets, $45,000, Interest	2,250 00	
Park, "	1,250 00	
Fire, "	750 00	
		33,472 50
City Pound		953 07
Survey Expenses		3,307 98
Board of Health		[illegible]
Johnson Street Sewer		14,897 22
Legal Expenses		3,284 15
Commission		[illegible]
Donations		1,285 55
Cemetery		1,519 78
Electric Light Plant		749 01
Deposit account, amount refunded		800 00
Sewerage Loan Fund		7,270 39
Market Site		35,200 00
Bank B.N.A., Sewerage F'd		7,729 61
Drainage		4,568 11
City Hall		33,428 23
Office Furniture		2,578 29
Road Roller and Crusher		410 95
Fire Plant		7,624 69
School Tax		6,468 33
Outstanding Accounts		294 30
Arbitration and Compensation for Damages		1,694 50
Fountain		93 83
Cemetery Loan Account		12,130 00
Steam Drills		17 50
Eberts & Taylor		1,700 00
Interest		2,970 08
Weighing Machine		57 45
Water Works Extension—		
Hauling	53 00	
Compensation for accident	69 00	
Pipes, etc	18,864 00	
Lime	24 25	
Carriage Hire	16 00	
Sockets, Chains, &c	30 08	
Sundries	2 50	
Balance from Bank Acct	39	
		19,044 22
Police—		
Salaries	14,914 50	
Carriage, Express Hire	73 25	
Fare of Prisoners	75 50	
Inquests, Funerals, &c.	285 50	
Keep of Prisoners	1, 39 20	
Postage, Stationery, Printing	131 00	
Drugs, &c	20 50	
Gas	342 80	
Telephones and Telegrams	148 20	
Coal	136 00	
Interpreter	32 50	
Hardware, &c	119 70	
Insurance	20 00	
Furniture	122 60	
Clothing, Blankets, &c	1,065 25	
Half Fines	52 50	
Sundries	69 55	
		19,088 55
Water Works, Genl. Revenue—		
Salaries	5,240 00	
Wages	2,563 84	
Hauling and Express	1,352 93	
Coal and Wood	492 50	
Valves, Meters, &c	5,846 04	
Lumber	153 21	
Powder	95 05	
Coal Tar	19 65	
Telephon[illegible]	177 10	
Advertis[illegible]ery and [illegible]	152 85	
Hydrants, Pipe Fittings, &c	1,518 57	
Boots	16 00	
New [illegible]	831 00	
Refun[illegible]	14 34	
Sundries	194 15	
		18,668 13
Park—		
Wages	2,702 92	
Cartage	24 50	
Feed for Fish and Animals	358 95	
Hardward, Powder, &c	119 57	
Survey Cedar Hill Park	129 50	
Insurance	7 50	
Notice Boards	35 50	
Sundries	2 50	
		3,380 94
Library—		
Rent	215 00	
Salaries	738 80	
Furniture, &c	55 19	
Books, Printing and Stationery	742 65	
Gas	85 20	
Coal	14 00	
Insurance	102 66	
Sundries	34 10	
		1,987 60
Miscellaneous—		
The Mayor	2,000 00	
The Aldermen	1,800 00	
Views of Victoria	645 00	
Band, Park	125 00	
Queen's Birthday Celebration	775 00	
Dom. Pub. Company	150 00	
Agricultural Society	500 00	

DISBURSEMENTS—(Continued).

Entertaining Farmers' Delegation	238 24	
Special Edition TIMES	570 50	
Board of Trade "Omaha Visitors"	125 00	
Annual Donation to Hospitals, Orphan's Home &c.	200 00	
		7,123 74
Charges—		
Salaries	7,691 87	
Postage	213 60	
Printing	1,330 27	
Advertising	2,044 80	
Stationery	691 72	
Hack Hire and Express	160 50	
Insurance	545 92	
By-laws and Elections	707 50	
Coal	145 25	
Gas	251 30	
Telephone and Telegrams	515 75	
Furniture	52 30	
Engrossing Address	50 00	
Sundries	104 06	
		14,505 13
Fire Department—		
Wages	9,640 12	
Express Hire, &c	220 25	
Horses, Feed, &c	1,796 41	
Repairs	878 53	
Coal	246 25	
Stationery, Printing, &c	181 85	
Hardware, Oil, &c	384 58	
Hydrants	633 80	
Lumber	108 22	
Gas	1,092 93	
Telephone	213 99	
Harness, Boots, &c	236 87	
Insurance	68 75	
Asphalt Floor	354 25	
Carpenter Work and Furniture	205 60	
Damages at Fire	68 25	
Zincs	84 00	
Sundries	53 00	
		16,467 56
Water Works—$60,000		
Wages	13,607 05	
Pipes, &c	22,576 99	
Lead, &c	1,057 17	
Hauling	119 21	
Special Castings	974 23	
		38,334 65
Street Lighting—		
Wages	4,648 25	
Coal	2,131 50	
Ship Chandlery	229 04	
Hire, Keep of Horse	332 30	
Telephone and Telegrams	38 75	
Stationery	4 87	
Material, including Carbons, Globes, and Freight and Duty on same	1,389 98	
Hardware	41 78	
Cartage, &c	45 65	
Pipe, Jettings	21 12	
Brick Work	57 00	
Insurance	176 87	
Sundries	25 90	
		9,143 01
Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks—Contracts—		
Gravelling Superior street	1,066 00	
Balance Catherine street	2,387 00	
Blasting rock, Discovery st	637 50	
Grading Fernwood Road	1,337 42	
" View street	600 00	
McDonald, Blasting Rock	2,012 60	
Gravelling Fourth street	397 50	
Grading Johnson street	500 00	
Rock Bay Bridge	957 00	
Breaking rock	1,145 69	
Wages	21,442 17	
Hauling	4,296 42	
Carriage, express hire	290 24	
Lumber	4,495 24	
Powder	271 25	
Hardware	1,122 05	
Feed of horses and shoeing	760 67	
Dies, etc	248 92	
Coal	448 85	
Law costs	95 00	
Bridge blocks	78 50	
Centre stones	30 62	
Elliott "contract" sidewalk	2,041 53	
Repairs	84 30	
S. Jones, half cost sewer	101 38	
Sundries	115 03	
		47,257 28
Cash on hand		1,766 01
		$403,242 06

Certified Correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor

Victoria, January 12, 1891.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

Victoria Water Works---Interest and Sinking Fund Account---December, 1890.

RECEIPTS.

Balance at Credit of Account, Jan. 1	$80,201 52
Cash received from Corporation of Victoria, from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, to pay appropriations for sinking Fund	11,611 00
Interest allowed by Bank of B.N.A. on amount at credit of Sinking Fund	2,412 78
	$94,225 30

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance	$94,225 30
	$94,225 30

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Victoria, Jan. 12, 1891.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer,

Victoria Water Works--Cash Statement--January 1st to December 31st, 1890.

RECEIPTS.

Water Rents	$41,384 76
Services Collected	2,219 00
	$43,603 76

DISBURSEMENTS.

Charges—		
Salaries and wages	$ 7,803 84	
Meters	5,846 94	
Hydrant boxes, pipe fitting, etc	1,518 57	
Coal, lumber, printing, hauling, etc	3,498 78	
		18,668 13
Coupons for Interest redeemed—		
$100,000 loan	6,317 50	
$50,000 loan	3,500 00	
$20,000 loan (1888)	1,000 00	
$20,000 loan (1877)	1,600 00	
$75,000 loan	3,750 00	
$70,000 loan	3,500 00	
$60,000 loan	3,000 00	
		22,667 50
Corporation, city of Victoria		2,268 13
		$43,603 76

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Victoria, Jan. 12, 1891.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

Victoria Water Works----Balance Sheet---December 31st, 1890.

ASSETS.

Bank of B. N. A., Sinking Fund, etc.	94,225 30
Construction Account	484,116 57
Corporation of City of Victoria	56,520 93
	$634,862 80

LIABILITIES.

Debenture Account	387,500 00
Revenue Account, being Excess of Assets over Liabilities	247,362 80
	$634,862 80

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

INTERESTING CHAT WITH ONE OF STANLEY'S EXPEDITION.

The Municipal Elections in Ottawa—Foster's Trip to the West Indies—Ottawa Festivities—The Ceremony of Calling at Government House.

OTTAWA, Jan. 5.—One of Ottawa's guests at present is A. J. Mounteney Jephson, the colleague of H. M. Stanley during his last expedition through darkest Africa. He is accompanied by Hamilton Aide, the well-known London composer and a relative of Mr. Stanley's wife, nee Miss Tennant. They have been making a tour of the principal American cities, and intend staying here for a week. It will be remembered that Mr. Jephson is the officer who was taken prisoner with Emin Bey by the latter's troops, and afterwards made his escape in a canoe to Stanley's troops, who were then marching northwards to Lake Albert. After joining Stanley he afterwards proceeded to the rescue of Emin, and in respect to this matter Mr. Jephson is very emphatic in his denial of the stories published discrediting the great explorer. He maintains that Emin Bey was really in danger, if not of death, certainly of a long life of servitude as a barefooted dervish, and says that he has in his possession a letter from Emin, in which the latter expresses his longing to be with Stanley again. In this connection Mr. Jephson contends that Stanley is a badly maligned man, and time will bring those who traduce him to book for their conduct. To General Gordon and Sir Samuel Baker, Mr. Jephson says, much of the credit is due which is now given to Emin Bey. The sentence of death passed on himself and Emin would calmly be carried out, as far as he was concerned, had he not succeeded in escaping from his revolted followers. The most important question, however, which is now agitating the public mind in connection with the expedition, namely as to Major Bartelott and the rear column, and upon which no doubt Mr. Jephson could throw some light, were he so disposed, but in regard to this subject he declines to speak. He, however, insists that time will show that Mr. Stanley was driven to make the retort that he did, and that in the long run intelligent community will show that what he has said was correct. Regarding Lieut. Stairs, the Canadian member of the expedition, Mr. Jephson speaks in the highest terms of praise. He was a good comrade and true friend. Mr. Jephson objects to the states of Europe apportioning among themselves the vast territory of Africa. This is a matter in which all the people of that country are interesting themselves. "In draining the swamps," says Mr. Jephson, no one need have any regard for the welfare of the frogs, and that is just how the Europeans have acted with the natives of Africa, having secured the property at a price wholly below the real value of it. As to climate, the country is not what it is represented to be although the girdle of fever-stricken land does exist. The country is one of the grandest heritages of the race.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The municipal elections which took place here to-day, created no great excitement, although the supporters of the various candidates worked like Trojans during the day, and as a consequence the vote polled was a large one. Never in the history of Ottawa was there such a mixture, as far as the candidates themselves were concerned. In the first place there was Dr. St. Jean, an old parliamentarian and an ex-mayor of the city, who came out as a representative of the French-Canadian race. During the two years he filled the chief magistrate's chair in the city hall he was a general favorite of the people. Alderman Heney was another candidate, who laid his principal claim for bearing the suffrages of the people on the fact that for thirty years or upwards he represented them at the council board. Spoken of generally as the father of the council, his admiring friends thought it would be a most fitting thing that his municipal career should be ended with a year as presiding officer of the council. Beyond this he had no other claims to recommend him for the position. Mr. Thomas Birkett, an old councillor, has been many times offered the position, but he always refused, but on the present occasion he was determined to run, even against the wishes of his old supporters. Those who pretend to know what they talk about say that his reasons are due to the fact that he intends to use the mayoralty as a stepping-stone towards political honors. The silence of the Citizen newspaper in support of Mr. Birkett, notwithstanding that he was one of the most prominent supporters of the Conservative party in the city, and at one time interested in the Citizen, goes to show that there is some truth in this. The absence of Mr. C. H. Mackintosh, M.P., from the city and the disaffection of several of the Tory wire-pullers, who came out for Birkett, all go to show that this is the case. Ald. MacLean, formerly of MacLean, Rogers & Co., parliamentary and departmental printers, was looked upon as a strong candidate, as he was certainly the best qualified in point of ability and in every other respect, to fill the Mayor's chair. An old newspaper man, at one time editor and proprietor of the Cornwall Freeholder, subsequently Ottawa correspondent of the Globe, and afterwards one of the leading editorial writers on the same paper, he ultimately became editor and one of the proprietors of the Ottawa Times. Ald. Roger, who again heads the poll for Rideau ward, being the other member of the firm. Both gentlemen are now largely interested in city property and heavy employers of labor, yet Mr. MacLean got an extremely small vote, although twice elected alderman for the leading ward of the city. To make the matter short, the result was due to the fact that while Mr. Birkett had the Conservative machine working for him, despite that Ald Heney was of the same political stripe, and the ultra Protestants who otherwise would have voted for A. MacLean, were petitioned not to do so but to vote for Mr. Birkett and save the election of a Frenchman, Dr. St. Jean. Both cries had their effect and the services of a good and clever man [illegible] the city for the present. The bad blood which has been aroused during the fight will not disappear when the general elections come about. Eleven new members were elected to the council and thirteen of the old ones were again returned.

MR. FOSTER'S RETURN.

The best thing that can be said of Hon. Mr. Foster's return from his trip to the West Indies is that while he accomplished no good he did no harm, and his visit may have done something in the way of advertising the Dominion generally. No one therefore, will begrudge the Finance Minister the cost of the trip, since it must have been to him a pleasant outing. Seeking new markets for Canadian trade and glorying in the fact that the United States markets are to some extent closed, to us is not so pleasant or profitable to the people as it seems to be to the average Tory politician and ward heelers of the party.

NEW YEAR'S FESTIVITES.

The event of the day, that is New Year's day, in Ottawa, is the calling on His Excellency, the Governor-General, who, for a couple of hours waits in his office in the departmental buildings to see all who are pleased to wait on him and shake him by the hand. The absence of the leading citizens of Ottawa and the presence of the political drones in the civil service are always noticeable, the latter visiting one of the leading hotels in the city to secure a couple of visiting cards to leave with His Excellency's aide-de-camps so that their names may be duly chronicled in the press the following day. When I read this list it always reminds us the docket, or perhaps list would be a more euphonious term to those concerned, in the proceedings of the county division court. Speaking of these festivites it will be interesting to many British Columbians, especially those who attend the proceedings of parliament, to known that Mr F. X. St. Jaques, proprietor of the Russell, entertained sumptuously all his visitors from 1 to 2 o'clock. During these two hours there was an open house, something new to the people of the Capital. Although not pulling gowans from the lea, roses from the garden and picking up an occasional strawberry here and there as your people on the Pacific slope aver you were doing on the ushering in of the New Year, still with the thermometer below zero, the sleighing excellent and the weather in every way good and bracing, we enjoyed ourselves in this vicinity in every sense of the term. That the year may be a happy one to all readers of the TIMES is the earnest wish of their humble servant, SLABTOWN.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver.—Mrs J D Seymour, J P Buchanan, Mrs Woods, E McGuire, J C Brown, C Descovich, J C Worke, J McKelvie, Capt Fouke, R Collister, R H Campbell, Miss Crickmay, Miss Newton, J Fredrick, Miss Graham, A W Hunford, F R Stewart, Miss Peel, A R Coughtry, E H Fletcher, Miss Petite, D McKay, E W Evans, M J Appleby, J H Smith, Mrs Morris, M Woods, C B Sword, J W Horne, A Calhoun, Miss Coughtry, H Helgeson, W J McKay, M S Davies, Miss Newton.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound—M Dolan, Miss Vernie, E B Reynolds, A B Johnson, Mrs Oliver, W S Divyer, G E Minor, W H Boyd, R Allen, Wm Low, Wm Griffin, D Charlebois, Mrs Marie, H Nelson, Mas Kipple and daughter, J New, Mrs Matthews, E L Pangburn, Mrs Berchast and child, A Hook, J Hook, Mrs Wheeler and daughter, S H Shanks, F W Garland and son.

Per Str. City of Seattle from the Sound—E B Tuohy, H Bornstein, T Hawkins, A McPherson, T I Le Beither and wife, J C Miller and wife, L McKinner, W Fineney, A Moss and wife, J Smith and wife, J J Hart, G P Baldwin, P C Pursby, D Raso, J Mathews, S L Hastings, R McGovern, J L Laird, N Cooley, L Banks, B M Lombard, J Leiser, D McBeith, J H Bunch and wife, J Manuel, C S Jones, D Brown, J H Carter, C S Burnett, S D Wormser, E Wilkenson, J McGowan, N Trague, M Johnson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver.—C R Wood, J Lewis, G Morrison & Co, L Leiser, J Piercy & Co, T W Fletcher, Hudson's Bay Co, R H Jameson, Langley & Co, F Norris, Boucherat & Co, H Saunders, Prior & Co, Mitchell & Lester, C Strouss & Co, J H Todd and Son, Thos Earle, Marvin and Tilton, B Gordon, John Weiler, D H Ross, Merchants Bank, Jacob Sehl, G C Shaw and Co, C G Anderson, Dom Exp Co, M W Waitt and Co, D Spencer, C B Lockhart, Lenz and Leiser, W Prentice, J Humphries, J H Baker and Co, H Mansell, A B Erskine, M R Smith, C Hackett.

Per Str. City of Seattle from the Sound—Langley and Co, Ames Holden, Henry Young, Standard Oil Co, R P Rithet and Co, Todd and Son, Lenz and Leiser, J H Piace, Braden and Co, J Weiler, Russell Macdonald, M W Waitt, Spratt and Gray, Hughitt and McIntyre.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound—Albion Iron Works, L Dickinson, Cowan and Wilson.

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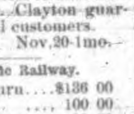

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	De. 8:00 A M	De. 2:30 P M	VICTORIA	Ar. 12:28 P M	Ar. 5:58 P M	78
1	" 8:08	" 2:34	RUSSELL'S	" 12:20	" 5:51	77
4	" 8:14	" 2:44	ESQUIMALT	" 12:10	" 5:41	74
11	" [illegible]	" 3:08	GOLDSTREAM	" 11:45 A M	" 5:19	67
25	" [illegible]	" 4:04	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 10:50	" 4:24	53
31	" 9:44	" 4:14	COBBLE HILL	" 10:41	" 4:14	47
35	" 9:57	" 4:29	McPHERSON'S	" 10:27	" 3:59	43
38	" 10:07	" 4:39	KOKSILAH	" 10:17	" 3:49	40
40	" 10:12	" 4:44	DUNCAN'S	" 10:12	" 3:34	38
43	" 10:22	" 4:54	SOMENOS	" 10:02	" 3:24	35
52	" 10:48	" 5:16	CHEMAINUS	" 9:38	" 3:12	26
73	Ar. 11:50 De. 11:59	" 6:14	NANAIMO	De. 8:31 Ar. 8:25	" 2:14	5
78	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:20 P M	WELLINGTON	De. 8:00	De. 1:30	

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CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

THEIR MONTHLY MEETING.

Very Little Business Comes Before the School Trustees.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees was held in the city hall last evening, Trustee Hayward in the chair and trustees Erskine, Walker, Hall and Mallandaine present. The minutes of the last meeting having been read the secretary read the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Miss Armstrong, suggesting that a roll of honor be presented to the first divisions of the schools to have the names of the girls who pass out head of the classes inscribed.

The Chairman—It would be a very acceptable thing to have but where is the money to come from from.

Trustee Mallandaine moved that the secretary be instructed to write to Miss Armstrong stating that the trustees agree with her but they have no funds to pay for the necessary roll of honor board.—Carried.

ATTENDANCE.

The total number of children attending the Victoria schools during December was 1389, and average daily attendance 1243.6. In December, 1889, there were 1211 children attending with an average daily attendance of 956.10. The average number of children per teacher was 46.4 during December, and there are 27 teachers.

Trustee Hall said he with Trustee Walker had visited the Hillside ward school yesterday and found the desks badly out of repair, the scholars having to use boxes to keep the desks in shape. The desks are of the old style and not worth repairing.

Chairman—I suppose we will have to inform the department of this as the trustees have no money to repair the desks.

Trustee Hall—It would be better to let the papers know it and let them go after the department.

Trustee Walker—The desks are so bad that the children take nails to school with them to nail their desks. He had heard though that a carpenter was going to be sent to do some repairing.

The matter was dropped without any decision being reached and the board went into committee of the whole to consider the resignation of Miss Arrowsmith as teacher of Hillside ward school.

After due consideration they declined to accept Miss Arrowsmith's resignation, for the present at least.

SINGLE TAX PLATFORM.

The Society Adopts a Code and Passes a Vote of Thanks to the Press.

At a meeting of the Tax Reform Association held at Vancouver last week, the following platform was adopted:—

We hold that all men born into the world have an equal right to life and the means of living. The earth is the only source from which the physical wants of mankind can be supplied. Therefore man's right to the use of the earth, the common gift of the Creator to the race, is the one essential condition of his existence.

With a reasonable amount of labor the earth is capable of producing abundantly for the support of its population, and it becomes the duty of all citizens to use every reasonable effort to secure to labor free access to the land which is the source of all wealth.

To carry out these principles we are in favor of raising all revenues for governmental purposes by a direct tax on land values, irrespective of improvements.

The adoption of this method of taxation would be an untold benefit to all classes of the community. It would stimulate industry, reward enterprise and secure to every man a just and equitable return for his labor, and at the same time would render it unprofitable to hold valuable land for merely speculative purposes.

With regard to monopolies other than the monopoly of land, we hold that where free competition becomes impos- [illegible] per social function, and should be controlled and managed by and for the whole people concerned.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved that this association would impress upon every voter in the Province who believes in the views advocated by single tax men, to take a careful interest in the matters discussed by the Local Legislature, and especially the action taken thereon by their representatives in that body, in order that they may be prepared at the next Provincial election to select candidates who will work for the adoption of laws in accord with the principles of the single tax."

"Resolved that this Association extends its sincere thanks to the various newspapers in the Province for the liberal manner in which they have admitted the discussion of our principles in their columns in the past year; and we particularly wish to thank the Colonist for the rabid way it has misrepresented us, as by so doing it has materially turned public attention in our favor."

Wisdom's Violet Cream.

Is a new and elegant preparation for eradicating and preventing roughness of the face and hands. Use it freely at night just before retiring and you will be delighted with a soft, smooth skin. Try it. D. E. Campbell, agent.

Election Bets.

So far there has been very little betting on the result of to-morrow's election. It is pretty generally conceded that Mayor Grant will be returned by a large majority, and betting on the mayoralty has only been made on majorities. A few wagers on the ticket in the several wards have been made for small amounts.

Unpleasant Experience.

A young man named Benton, a bartender at the Vancouver house, had a narrow escape from death at Port Townsend Monday night in trying to board the steamer he walked off the edge of the dock. The tide was at low ebb and he fell full twenty feet before striking the cold water. When rescued he was numb and insensible from the effects of the cold, but ultimately recovered.

FRESH EASTERN OYSTERS in tins, received regularly, trade supplied. Dixi H. Ross.

Read This.

In order to run off a large amount of our stock we will sell at a discount of 20 per cent. for the next three weeks. Plush goods below cost. Davidson Bros., 55 Yates street.

For bronchitis and asthma use Langley's Balsam of Aniseed.

For San Francisco.

The steamer Walla Walla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the the following passengers from this port: J. McNamara, H. Brackman, Bishop Lemmens, J. B. Wilkins, C. E. Woods and D. Gray.

Delta Election.

The following council was elected by acclamation at Ladner's on Monday: For reeve, W. H. Ladner; councillor for Ward 1, R. Matheson; Ward 2, Wm. Arthur; Ward 3, William Goudy; Ward 4, J. A. Paterson; Ward 5, John Oliver.

Will Return to the Mines.

Geo. Kenny, of Omineca, who has been down for several weeks will return to the gold fields by the next steamer that goes north. He will make the trip from Port Simpson to the interior on snowshoes. A lot of other miners will return at the same time.

Mr. Wilson's Supporters.

There will be a meeting of Mr. Alex. Wilson's supporters at the Victoria Theatre to-night, when that gentleman will address the electors, and will explain his platform and the stand he will take in municipal affairs. Several other gentleman will also address the meeting, and it is supposed Mayor Grant will be present.

Excursions to Anacortes.

The Union Pacific S.S. Company will sell tickets on the 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd and 23rd inst., for Anacortes and return at single fare. Those who take advantage of this offer will take the steamer here at 9 p.m., and catch the steamer for Anacortes at Port Townsend. All the steamship companies on the Sound intend to do the same, and Anacortes will be lively for a few days.

Fast Time.

The Union Pacific vestibuled train leaving Portland at 9.00 p.m., has Pullman sleeping and dining cars. Free Pullman Tourist cars, and free reclining chair cars to Omaha, Kansas City and Chicago, without change. Steamers leave Victoria daily (except Sunday.) For tickets to any point east, north and south, call on or address Morris J. Bissell 100 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

Preparing.

Returning Officer Bull has had the polling booths erected, the voters' lists prepared, and all matters arranged for the municipal elections to-morrow. The polling places for aldermen will be at the usual localities; for James Bay Ward, at the old hook and ladder house, Government street; for Yates Street Ward, at the Burnes' House, Bastion square; for Johnson Street Ward, in the office of the Superintendent of Police; for Mayor, in the City Police Court room. The polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Daughters of Rebekah.

Last night, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Sister Bishop, Distriht Deputy of Colfax Rebekah Degree, Lodge No. 1, installed the following officers: N. G., Sister Miss J. Carne; V. G., Sister Mrs. Somerville; Secretary, Sister Miss A. Huxtable; Treasurer, Sister Mrs. J. Meldrum; R S.N.G., Sister J. Pope; L.S.N.G., Sister S Neil; R.S.V.G., Sister Mrs. Taylor; L.S.V.G., Sister Mrs. Dempster; Conductor, Sister Mrs. Bishop; Warden, Sister Mrs. Clyde; I.G., Sister Miss A. Gosnell; O. G., Bro. W. H Huxtable; Chaplain, Sister Mrs. Owens.

Beautiful Women.

The magical efforts of Wisdom's Robertine as a beautifer and preserver of the complexion have been attested by thousands of leading ladies of society and the stage. It is the only article ever discovered which gives a natural and beautiful tint to the complexion, removing tan, sunburn, freckles and all roughness of the face and arms, leaving [illegible] smooth and velvety. All remarks on its delightfuly cooling and refreshing properties, a distinction not found in any other similar article known. D. E. Campbell, agent.

Not Many Voters.

On the voters lists are the names of 2106 people who have a vote for mayor to-morrow. It is hardly probable that more than one half this number will vote. In 1889 when the civic chair was contested for by Mayor Grant and Mr. Robt. Ward, an even 1000 votes were cast for the candidates, and it is not likely that much more than that number will be given this year. A great many people have failed to register themselves as voters, while the nonpayment of taxes and a change requiring the registration of household voters have disfranchised a large number.

Devotees of the Dance.

There was something funereal about the assembly in Philharmonic hall last evening; it looked so weird and grotesque to see those sheeted, masked figures float 'round like shadows to the cadence of the music as felt in the different dances. Some of the figures were fantastically arranged, a few were droll-looking, but the generality was, to say the least, sepulchral. The gentlemen more or less aimed at the comical; the ladies looked as the varying taste of woman prompts. Here was a staid-looking nun who appeared dark and mysterious behind her mask as she danced with a fiendish-looking Mephistopheles; there was a demure figure, draped like one of the vestal virgins of old, keeping time with a clownish individual of the male sex. Everything went by contrast, and rarely did a cavalier correspond with his fair partner in style of dress. In this way there were two good hours of mutual mystification till the time for declaring one's identity came, and then some eyes were opened wide with wonder. After refreshments had been served and partaken of, Mr. Pfердner's orchestra again called the dance devotees together, and mystery having been laid aside with the masks, enjoyment reigned supreme. The married ladies scored a great success in their idea. It rids such an occasion of a certain stiffness, and works wonders in promoting solid enjoyment.

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CREAM TRADE MARK TARTAR
BAKING
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PUREST, STRONGEST, BEST,
CONTAINS NO
Alum, Ammonia, Lime, Phosphates,
OR ANY INJURIOUS SUBSTANCE.
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THE CELEBRATED ROYAL YEAST CAKES.

AMUSEMENTS.

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY
St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society's
ANNUAL BALL
will be held in the
ASSEMBLY ROOMS, FORT ST.,
— ON —
Friday, Jan. 23, '91

Tickets $3 each; can be had from any member of the Committee.
J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.
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VICTORIA THEATRE.
January 15th and 16th
BOSTON GAIETY
COMIC OPERA CO'Y
Thursday Evening--Mascotte.
Friday Evening--Erminie.
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BURNS' ANNIVERSARY
TWA HOURS AT HAME
Grand Scotch Concert
by the Choir of the First Presbyterian Church, on
Wednesday Evening, 21st Instant,
in the Hall of the Church, Blanchard St.,
at 8 o'clock sharp.

The following well-known and talented artists will take part:
Miss McGregor, (late of Winnipeg) Soprano.
Mr. W. D. Kinnaird, Tenor.
Miss Russell, Soprano.
Mr. J. A. Grant, Tenor.
Mrs. McIntyre, (late of Winnipeg) Contralto.
Mr. O. F. Watson, Tenor.
Miss Connon, (Vancouver) Violinist.
Mr. A. Moir, Baritone.
Mr. J. G. Brown, Baritone.
Pianists—Miss Stephen, Prof. Sharpe.

Scottish Part Songs by Choir, under direction of Mr. J. G. Brown.
Admission 50 cents. Tickets can be had from members of Choir and at principal book and music stores.
W. D. KINNAIRD, Secretary.
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Gas, ether and also latest improved electric vibrator used for painless extraction of teeth.
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(House and Steam Coal) are mined by this Company only.

THE "NANAIMO" COAL gives a large percentage of Gas, a high Illuminating Power, unequalled by any other Bituminous Gas Coal in the world; and a superior quality of Coke.

THE "SOUTH FIELD" COAL is now used by all the Leading Steamship Lines on the Pacific.

THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite fuel for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal, makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay, where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.
Dec. 30.

T. G. RAYNER, REAL ESTATE and FINANCIAL BROKER
CITY LOTS, ACRE LOTS AND WATER FRONT LOTS
IN VICTORIA WEST, FOWL BAY AND WEST BAY,
And a Complete List of First-Class Properties to Suit Investors.
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NICHOLLES & RENOUF Have just received, ex "Brodick Bay," a large consignment of the celebrated

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GAS AND WATER TUBING, Black and Galvanized.
Corner Broad and Yates Streets, Victoria. P. O. Box 86.
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ONE POUND PACKAGE 20 CTS., OR 3 FOR 50 CTS.

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AND
Underclothing.
Being about to retire from business my entire stock of Clothing and Underwear, Trunks and Valises, and Hats are selling 30 per cent. below the usual price.
For sale or to let the well known stand with fixtures situated at 44 Yates street.
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Weather Strips
Applied to doors and windows.
They stop the drafts.
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Sold and fitted by
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Parlor and Cook Stoves
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Saw, Planing, Flour, Woollen Mill and Brickyard Machinery
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Just too late for Christmas trade, but in time for
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The consignment of LADIES' OAK and WALNUT CABINETS, DRESSING STANDS and DESKS have arrived, and
HASTIE & ERSKINE
Intend selling them at Low Prices. Call Early, as They Are Sure To Go Quickly.
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TO DEPOSITORS

The British Columbia Land & Investment Agency, Ld.

(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

VERNON, VERNON

THE TERMINUS OF THE

SHUSWAP & OKANAGAN RAILWAY

Situated in the Heart of the Famous Okanagan Valley.

THE RAILWAY CENTRE OF THE INTERIOR

The Shuswap & Okanagan Railway is now under construction, and will be completed and in Operation to Vernon next Summer, 1891.

The Okanagan & Kootenay Railway Co. obtained a charter (with land grants of 20,000 acres per mile) to construct a railway from Vernon to Sproat's Landing, via the Coldstream Valley and Cherry Creek Mines.

A charter will be applied for at the next session of the Local Legislature to construct a Railway from Vernon south to the International Boundary, to connect with the American railway system.

This is a great chance to make money, as Vernon, being in the heart of the most extensive agricultural district in the Province, will undoubtedly become a large and flourishing city.

Arrangements have been completed with responsible parties for publishing a good weekly paper at Vernon, to commence business early in the new year. This paper will be circulated by the company in all parts of the world.

A Large Hotel will be erected early next spring, and plans for same are now ready.

PLANS OF TOWN-SITE ARE NOW IN ALL REAL ESTATE OFFICES

A large number of lots have already been sold, and most of these will have buildings erected on them early next year.
Special Inducements are offered to builders. See price list. Free sites will be given to parties establishing industries.
Financial assistance will also be given to responsible parties engaging in legitimate enterprises.

ADVANCE IN PRICES.

The Company will advance prices of all central lots early next month. Intending purchasers should not delay selecting lots now in order to obtain the benefit of this advance.

Vernon is situated in a pass commanding and making tributary to it the whole of the famous Okanagan Valley and its tributary valleys, the grazing country of the Lower Nicola, the mining camps of Rock Creek, Granite Creek, Keremoes, Okanagan and Monishee Mountain, the placer diggings of Cherry Creek and Siwash Creek. It is impossible to get to any of the above places without first going through Vernan.

The opening of the Shuswap & Okanagan Railway next summer will flood this favored country with land and mining prospectors, &c., and will give a great impetus to the farming, fruit growing, grazing and mining industries. Several important industries are projected and will likely be started in Vernon next year.

The best advice we can give intending purchasers is to go and see for yourself. The C.P.R. to Sicamous, Stage from Sicamous to Vernon. Leave Vancouver on Mondays or Fridays, arrive Vernon Tuesday or Friday evening.

OKANAGAN LAND & DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, Ltd.

Maps of Town-Site and Price Lists in all Real Estate Offices. ja12-tf

WEATHER REPORT.

The following is the weather report, compiled by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E., for the 24 hours ending at 1 p.m. to-day Victoria, B. C., Jan. 14, 1891.

	Ther'ter	Baro'eter	Wind.	Remarks
13				
1 p.m	38.0	29.84	N E	Cloudy
6 p.m	38.0	29.78	E by N	"
10 p.m	37.0	29.75		Overcast
14				
6 a.m	37.0	29.73	N by E	"
1 p.m	40.0	29.74	N	"

Temperature—Highest, 40; lowest, 36.

Dempsey-Fitzsimmons.

Steve O'Brien of the Senate saloon, has made arrangements to get the result of the great international battle between Dempsey and Fitzsimmons to-night. Telegrams from the American lines will be sent by Port Townsend cable at the end of every round.

Auctioneer and Judge.

Joe Wolff, the Winnipeg auctioneer, sometimes dispenses justice at the Winnipeg police court. On one occasion he forgot himself when sentencing a prisoner by saying, "Going, going, gone for three months." Joe, it will be remembered, was a resident of Victoria at one time.

The Nanaimo Pilots.

Capt. Christainsen will retain command of the Lorne until the 1st prox., when he will undertake the duties of his new position on the Nanaimo pilot board. All who have known the captain are sorry to see him leave a position to which he was well adapted, but they are none the less pleased to see his abilities so appreciated.

Sugar from Vancouver.

Wholesale grocers of this city expect consignments of sugar from the new Vancouver refinery by the end of the week. The work of refining has now commenced, and the product of the establishment will soon be placed on the markets.

Prospecting for Coal.

Gen. Lyman Banks, of Seattle, with a double crew for his diamond drill, goes north on the Danube to-morrow. He expects to run the drill night and day from now on, and it will no doubt be two months or more before he returns to Victoria. The General has been untiring in his search for coal on the north coast of the Island for months, and it is to be hoped his labors will be crowned with success.

Dance at the Barracks.

The officers of C Battery have issued [illegible] who intend going are looking forward to the usual pleasant evening that is enjoyed when the officers have their shoulders at the wheel. There is a good road leading from Esquimalt road to the Barracks, and those going out in carriages can have a pleasant drive.

Mid-day Fire.

At 12.20 o'clock to-day Mr. H. Stephens noticed smoke and fire issuing from a small frame dwelling on the east side of Rupert street, between Collinson and Humboldt streets. He turned in an alarm from box 13, and in six minutes the firemen had a stream of water on the fire, which was quickly suppressed. The loss will amount to $50, with no insurance. It was not considered advisable to have the whole department at the fire, and No. 2 company was sent back to their engine house. The members of No. 1 and No. 3 companies made short work of the fire and a stream of water from the John Grant steam fire engine ripped shingles off the roof and found the fire [illegible] a few minutes.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Burnside Extension.

The demand for these lots still continues. To meet the wishes of those who are going out on Saturday afternoon to make their selection, we have arranged for an omnibus to leave our offices at 2 o'clock sharp on Saturday, 17th January; returning, will leave the extension about 3 p.m. Call and secure tickets in good time, so as not to be disappointed.

3t DALBY, BALLENTYNE & CLAXTON.

Langley's Balsam of Aniseed cures colds and coughs.

$3.00 ULSTERS. $3.00 ULSTERS.

The remaining stock of ladies' and children's tweed ulsters are all reduced in price. A really beautiful ulster for $3.00. Lansdowne House, Yates street.
JOHN PARTRIDGE.

It's Strange But True.

The highest grade of American and Canadian pianos ever offered for sale in B. C. are now on exhibition at the agent's, 37 Fort street, T. W. Fletcher. Musicians and critics invited. ja10-2w

For whooping-cough and croup, Langley's Balsam of Aniseed.

Coal Oil $3.25.

Prat's Coal Oil, Pearl Coal Oil, Oleophene Coal Oil, Canadian Coal Oil. R. H. Jameson, 33 Fort street. Telephone 128. *

Tramway Shares.

A few will be offered for sale by public auction on Wednesday evening, also a mixed lot of goods. Mortimer & Co., 122 Government street. j13-2t

A Good Resolution.

A good resolution for the first of the year is to remember that good digestive powers preserve peace and happiness. To keep such, you require well cooked meals, such as you can always obtain with all the delicacies of the seasons and polite attention, at Steitz's, 54 Yates street. *

A New Business House.

The new boot and shoe store of Carmichael & Patterson has been opened at 35 Johnson street, in Gilmore McCandless' old stand. Mr. Patterson opens with a large experience in this business, in this city with Mr. J. Fullerton and in Winnipeg with the Hudson Bay company, where he was for many years manager of this department. The new firm have started with the intention of pleasing the public.

If you have a Cold, use Langley's Balsam of Aniseed.

DIED.

MUNGER—In this city, on the 13th instant, Eliza Munger, a native of London, England.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Thursday) at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, near the corner of Discovery and Blanchard streets, and at half-past two o'clock from St. John's Church. Friends are invited to attend.

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Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17, 1889.*

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It is a certain and speedy cure for Cold in the Head and Catarrh in all its stages.

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Many so-called diseases are simply symptoms of Catarrh, such as headache, partial deafness, losing sense of smell, foul breath, hawking and spitting, nausea, general feeling of debility, etc. If you are troubled with any of these or kindred symptoms, your have Catarrh, and should lose no time in procuring a bottle of NASAL BALM. Be warned in time, neglected cold in head results in Catarrh, followed by consumption and death. NASAL BALM is sold by all druggists, or will be sent, post paid, on receipt of price (50 cents and $1.00) by addressing

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Allowed on Special Deposits of $10 and upwards.

ja8-1m G. H. BURNS, Manager.

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Boots and Shoes, Trunks and Valises, etc.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Split cedar fence posts for sale in small or large lots. Leave orders at
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Voters Yates St. Ward.

Not being able to attend personally to the Civic Election, I have retired from the contest, thanking all friends for their promise of support.

ja14-1t J. WRIGLESWORTH.

FOR THE NORTH.

P. N. CO.'S STEAMER

"DANUBE,"

(CAPT. WALBRAN),

WILL LEAVE SPRATT'S WHARF,

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—ON—

Thursday, Jan. 15th, 6 a.m.

For freight or passage apply at office of the Company.

de13-td JNO. IRVING, Manager.

NOTICE.

RICHARDSON & HEATHORN HAVE purchased the interest of Mr. S. F. McIntosh in the Rock Bay Coal and Wood Yard, assuming all liabilities. All accounts not settled must be paid at their office, 42 Yates street or at their Yard. ja9-1w

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.

Victoria, Dec. 11, 18[illegible]. de12-tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CUSTOM WORK

EXTRAORDINARY

Gents' Jean Pants (made to order)	$1 50
Corduroy, Navy Serge or Moleskins	3 00
Superfine Tweed or Diagonal	4 00

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Opposite the Iron Church.

DOUGLAS STREET, - - VICTORIA

MAYORALTY.

A PUBLIC MEETING

of the citizens favorable to the candidature of MR. ALEX. WILSON for the office of Mayor of Victoria will be held in the

VICTORIA THEATRE.

— ON —

Wednesday Evening, 14th Inst., at 8 o'clock.

Addresses will be given by Mr. Wilson and other prominent citizens.

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Balls and Private Dinner Parties

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at reasonable prices. References if required. Address letters to G.A., TIMES Office. ja[illegible]-1m

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Capital Paid Up,	£600,000	$3,000,000
[WITH POWER TO INCREASE.]		
Reserve Fund,	200,000	1,000,000

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A Savings Bank Department

in connection with their General Banking Business, and are now prepared to receive Deposits of $1 and upwards, upon which Interest will be allowed at current rates. Present rate, FOUR per cent. per annum. Deposits received for Fixed Periods, and interest allowed on terms which may be ascertained on application. The Shareholders of this Bank are by the Charter of Incorporation made liable for double the amount of capital subscribed for, an important consideration in the security afforded to depositors.

WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Victoria, 2nd January, 1891.

VERNON!

We beg to announce to our patrons and the public that we have been appointed agents for the above choice Townsite, and shall be pleased to furnish any information required at our office,

30 BROAD STREET.

CRANE, McGREGOR & BOGGS

Mallette's Addition to Port Angeles

This is one of the finest additions on the market, being perfectly level and only a short distance from the centre of the Town. Mr Mallette, being among the first to invest in Port Angeles, had the choice of property, and chose this as the most suitable piece for platting.

A wide graded road runs directly through the centre of the Addition, making it easy of access.

A franchise has been granted for a street car line to run directly through the Addition.

The population of Port Angeles has increased from 500 to 3,000 during the last year, and will treble itself during the next year.

Port Angeles has been made the County Seat and a Port of Entry.

A line of steamers will soon be put on between Victoria and Port Angeles.

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